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THE CAMPAIGN PRESS.

As has been our custom for more than forty years, we shall send the PRESS from Aug. 1st until Nov. 8th, 1906—15 weeks—for twenty-five cents, payable strictly in advance. Send in your orders early. No paper sent unless the money accompanies the order.

The Platform of a Judge.

Judge Green, who was appointed some weeks ago to fill a vacancy on the Common Pleas bench of the Clinton-Cameron-Elk district, will be nominated by the Republicans for election to a full term. This is the platform upon which Judge Green stands, as declared by himself:

During the time that it is my privilege and my honor to preside over the courts of this district, I shall not in any manner or in any way or particular try to be a Republican, Democrat or to be a partisan Judge in any sense of the word. I shall appear on the bench of this judicial district so long as it is my privilege to serve without any affiliation of any interest or person whatever. It will be my purpose, to the best of my ability, to treat every person, be he rich or poor, or to whatever political party he may belong, without fear or favor.

This is the true position for a Judge. In a few strong words Judge Green makes it very plain that as long as he is on the bench there will be no partisanship or favoritism in the administration of justice.

Previous to his appointment to the bench Judge Green was active in party politics. There have been many instances in Pennsylvania of men chosen to judgships out of party activity free ing themselves from partisanship more completely than some who were less prominent as party leaders and less interested in party work Political experience of a reputable kind is apt to give a man more than the average sense of the responsibilities of the judicial office. He can the better realize that it was not intended to serve partisan purposes.

The straightforward declaration of Judge Green has deprived the Democrats of the district of every reason for opposing his election, except the commonest partisan pretext. What Judge Green says will be accepted as sincere by all who know him. If the Democrats do not want to confess a purpose to secure a partisan Democratic control of the courts of the district they will make no nomination against Judge Green, but will put his name on their ticket and cordially support him.

No other action they can take will do them so much honor. They should wisely consider it before it is too late. —Philadelphia Press.

Notice to Bond Holders, Emporium School District.

The holders of bonds Nos. 60 and 61 of the School District of the Borough of Emporium, issue of December 31st, 1902, are notified to present the same to the undersigned for payment.

All bonds of this issue were called July 1st, 1906, and no interest will be paid after that date.

J. P. MCNARNEY, Treasurer,
23-3t. Emporium, Pa.

Eye Specialist.

Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., August 11th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.

The Portage Store.

W. L. Dixon, proprietor of the Portage store, desires to inform his patrons and the general public that he is offering special inducement in canned goods for the next thirty days. Read this:

Tomatoes, 10c; Good California Peaches, 16c; Mince Meat, 8c, Corn 8c; Finest String Beans. 10c; Best Seeded Raisens, 11c; Seven bars Oak Leaf Soap, 25c. Other goods in proportion.

Call me on 'phone.

W. L. DIXON,
7-tf. Near Portage Bridge.

Seed Wheat for Sale

We have 100 bushels of choice bald wheat, mealy variety, guaranteed pure and clean at $1.25 per bushel—sack 10c extra. Cash with order. Call on or address,

HAYNES BROS.,
24-5t. Sinnamahoning, Pa.

For Sale.

I offer the following for sale: One second hand lumber wagon, $30 00. Also one new lumber wagon at a bargain.

CHAS. DIEHL.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

JUDGE GREEN'S POPULAR ENDORSEMENT.

[Lock Haven Democrat.]

Captain W. C. Kress, having withdrawn from the race for president judge and thus cleared the way for Judge Green, the Republican delegates elected on Saturday in the several districts of Clinton county met in the court house Tuesday to endorse the candidacy of Judge Green and to elect judicial conferees.

President Simpson then stated that nominations were in order for president judge, whereupon H. T. Hall, esq., arose and after stating it was a pleasure to notice the fealty of the Republicans of Clinton county in the principles of the party, and detailing the characteristics of the kind of man desired to fill the position of president judge in this district, to whom the attorneys and the people could look up to with pride, said such a man was B. W. Green, esq, of Cameron county, whom he nominated for president judge.

S. D. Furst, esq., seconded the nomination in a brief speech, saying that Judge Green would be more than acceptable to the Republican members of the Clinton County bar.

Judge Green appeared in a few moments and his presence was the signal for hearty applause. The judge thanked his Republican friends for the high honor conferred upon him and for the warm greetings he had received from one end of the district to the other, which was an augury, he said, that the action in endorsing him would be approved by the people in November. The judge paid a tribute to the late Judge Mayer, and cited the fact that he withdrew as a candidate to make Judge Mayer's election unanimous in the past, and therefore appreciated to day's action of the Republicans of Clinton county. "Although this may seem as a party nomination," said Mr. Green, "I want to say to the people at large that during the time that I shall preside over the courts of the Twenty fifth Judicial district, I shall not be a Republican judge, a Democratic judge or a partisan judge. It shall be my purpose to administer justice to the rich and the poor, to the high and the lowly alike without fear or favor."

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JUDGE GREENIS DECLARATINN OF PRINCIPLES.

[Lock Haven Times.

In his address before the Republican convention on Tuesday Judge B. W. Green squarely and openly declared himself in no unmistakable terms as a non-partisan judge. He said:

"During the time that it is my privilege and my honor to provide over the the courts of this district, I shall not in any manner or in any way or particular try to be a Republican, Democrat or to be a partisan judge in any sense of the word. I shall appear on the bench of this Judicial district as long as it is my privilege to serve without any affiliation of any interest or person whatever. It will be my purpose, to the best of my ability, to treat every person, be he rich or poor, or to whatever political party he may belong, without fear or favor,"

The platform of Judge Green is short, but in it he has taken a position that cannot fail to appear to the voters of Clinton county as well as throughout the district. It is contended by the press generally that the bench should be free from politics and the selection be a non-partisan judge is urged in every district. This is right. It is true Judge Green is a Republican and is, practically, the nominee of the Republicans of this Judicial district. But where are we to find a man of prominence, fitted for this high position, who has not been affiliated with one party or another. Nowhere. The fact that Judge Green has publicly declared himself in this particular should and will appeal to the people who believe that the judicial bench is not calculated to be a sponser for any polical party. "Eliminate politics from the bench" is a stereotyped headline in the city newspapers. It was the demand of the united press of Clinton county eight years ago, but if the press of this county is to be consistent it will hold to this principle to-day,

The members of the Republican convention gave their hearty approval of Judge Green's open and frank expression in the matter and the people of Clinton county will vote to elect a man who has the couarge of his convictions.

Argument Court.

Argument court was held at Emporium on Tuesday, Judge Omerod, of Coudersport, presiding, assisted by Hons. John McDonald and Geo. J. LaBar. A number of causes on the argument list were argued, the most important being the Becker Glass and and Paint Co., et als., vs M. C Tutis, et als., former directors of Mankey Manufacturing Co. The case was argued and submitted.

After Naturalization court passed upon eighteen or twenty cases, the court adjourned.

Married.

Miss Hazel Smith and Mr. Frank Steckenfinger, both of North Bend, Pa, were married at Olean, August 5, by the Rev, Weidinor. Miss Smith formerly resided in Emporium, being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dent Smith.

Ernest R. Stout and Miss Ella Wakins both of North Bend were also married at Olean same day by Justice of the Peace Cobb.

JUDGE B. W. GREEN.

Judge Green Unanimously Nominated.

District Conference Composed of Conferees from Clinton, Cameron and Elk Unanimously Nominated Judge Green President Judge of 25th Judicial District, at Emporium To-day.

DEMOCRATS SHOULD ENDORSE HIS NOMINATION

We hold our publication to announce the result of the Republican Judicial Convention held at Emporium this afternoon. The Conference was called to order at 1:30 by L. W. Gleason, chairman of Cameron county Republican committee, who called for nomination of officers of the conference. Geo. H. Younger, of Johnsonburg, was elected chairman and John McDonald, Renovo and C. Jay Goodnough, Emporium, secretaries.

After thanking the convention for the honor conferred, Mr. Younger called for reading of delegates credentials. The following answered the call:

DELEGATES.

Clinton—S. D. Furst, Lock Haven; T. J. Smull, Mackeyville; John McDonald, Renovo.

Cameron—Hon. John McDonald, Driftwood; Andrew Brady, C. Jay Goodnough, Emporium.

Elk—Anthony Sammick, Benzinger; Geo. H. Younger, Johnsonburg; L. H. Garbarino, Force, Pa.

Nominations being in order for President Judge, the chair recognized Mr. S. D. Furst, of Clinton, who, in an able and eloquent manner, presented the name of Hon. B. W. Green, of Cameron. Mr. Furst's were cordially applauded. There being no other nominations, chairman Younger called for a rising vote to make Judge Green's nomination unanimous, which was given with applause. Chairman Younger declared Judge B. W. Green the unanimous Republican nominee for President Judge of the 25th judicial district. J. A. Geer, of Elk, and L. W. Gleason, Cameron, were appointed a committee to notify the nominee and invite him to the meeting. Judge Green was heartily applauded when he accepted the nomination, thanking the delegates. Hearty congratulations were extended his Honor by the delegates as well as his neighbors. There being no further business chairman Younger called on the citizens of the district to work hard for the election of the Judge, when the convention adjourned.—Perfect harmony and enthusiastic support extended Judge Green was very greatly appreciated by all in attendance.

Our former citizen, Mr. Ed. C. Davison, accompanied the Elk delegates to Emporium to-day.

W. A. Kinsloe, of Lock Haven Daily Express and W. A. McClure, of Johnsonburg Breeze, attended the Judicial Conference to-day, at this place.

Will Leave Emporium.

The PRESS and our citizens very generally will regret to learn that we will lose two of our most estimable families—A. P. Van Gelder and family and H. A. Cox and family. Mr. Van Gelder goes to Dover, N. J., where he accepts the Superintendency of the great Dover powder plant. During their residence in Emporium they made a host of friends, all of whom regret their departure. They have commenced packing their furniture and will leave Emporium on Saturday. Mr. H. A. Cox and family, who but recently came to Emporium (having formerly resided here for many years,) will return to Philadelphia Sept. 1st, to engage in the wholesale lumber business, a business he is familiar with, having been engaged in it for many years. Like Mr. and Mrs. Van Gelder Mr. and Mrs. Cox have very many friends here and all will regret to see them leave Emporium. Good citizens we all dislike to part with—the other kind never leave.

Sewer Contract Awarded.

By reference to the Borough Council proceedings it will be seen that the contract for the sewer extension has been let to W. H. Simpson, of Olean, he being the lowest bidder. The cost of the work will cost the tax payers about $9,000.00 provided the entire system is completed. While the sewer should be completed, no one will deny, yet, the fact remains that the price is more than, we believe, the tax-payers will stand for. However, the matter should be carefully examined before the contract is finally loaded upon the Borough. Be sure you are right, gentlemen, before you sign away the people's money. Something about the matter does not appear clear.

Successful Year.

The Lock Haven State Normal School closed the most successful year in its history. Its new catalog containing 122 pages, beautifully illustrated, is now ready for distribution. This is one of the greatest schools of our state and affords the best available advantages for training of teachers, fitting for College or Business. Its departments of music and elocution are also largely patronized and thoroughly equipped. The fall term begins Sept. 10th Address for catalog, the Principal.

J. R. FLICKINGER,
25:4t Lock Haven, Pa.

Good Time.

The young people of Emporium are surely having a good time and they know it. Parties and dances almost every night. Wish we were young again.

Death of Mr. Arnold.

Ridgway Daily Record.

Norman Theodore Arnold passed peacefully out of this life on Saturday afternoon last, at 4:30 o'clock, at "Bonifels," the beautiful home on the hill just west of Ridgway, in which he had taken so much pleasure during the few years he had been spared to enjoy it. Mr. Arnold has been suffering for several months, and in fact had never quite recovered from a very long and severe attack of typhoid fever, which came near causing his death a few years ago. He was able, however, to be at his office in Ridgway and attend to his large business interests until about three months prior to his death, and even after he quit coming to the office he directed the most important of his business through his confidential Secretary, Mr M. P. Whiting, until recently. Some weeks ago Mr. Arnold made a trip to Buffalo to confer with Dr. Jones, an eminent physician, in regard to his case, and later Dr. Jones came here and consulted with an eminent specialist from New York City. They pronounced the case one of post abdominal sarcoma, or cancer, the case being such that it could not be operated for, the only hope was in a special serum or new treatment for such cases, and the new remedy was used. As time wore on friends and relatives began to hope that the treatment might effect a cure but their hopes were vain, and the dreaded disease took from us one of the most enterprising, liberal and philanthropic citizens Ridgway has ever known. When death came Mr. Arnold was surrounded by all his near relatives, his faithful and devoted pastor, Rev. J. H. Clemens, his former pastor and close friend, Rev. J. C. McDonald, and others near and close to him.

The funeral services were held from the family residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the service being conducted by Rev. J. H Clemens, who was assisted by a number of other ministers who were close friends of the deceased. Interment was made in the family lot in Pine Grove Cemetery, at this place.

N. T. Arnold was born at Stannards, Allegany county, N. Y., on July 5, 1857, and he was therefore aged 49 years and 30 days. He was the only son of William W., and Margaret Ann Arnold, and his father lived until about a year ago, the old gentleman's last years being spent with his son here and with his daughter at Elmira, N. Y. When Mr. Arnold was aged about one year, his parents moved to Potter Co, where he was reared to young manhood and educated in the lower branches. Then the family moved to Sterling Run, Cameron county, where Mr. Arnold was conveted and united with the M. E. Church, under the ministry of Rev. Mr. Chilcott, 27 years ago.

Mr. Arnold was married August 24, 1881, at Cedar Springs, Clinton county, his bride being a young lady who had been his schoolmate at the normal school and who had taught with him in the public schools, of Wilcox, this county—Miss Hanna Francis Thompson, daughter of Robinson and Cynthia J. Thompson, of Cedar Springs. Four children were born to them, as follows: Miss Laura, who has just graduated from Wellesley College; Robbie, who died at the age of six months; Paul Thompson Arnold, who graduated from the Ridgway High School in 1905, and is now a student at Yale College; and William B., the youngest who is a student in the Ridgway borough public schools. Besides his faithful and devoted wife and children, Mr. Arnold is survived by four sisters, as follows: Mrs J. E. Smith, of Sterling Run, Cameron county; Mrs, M. P. Whiting, of Ridgway; Miss Elizabeth Arnold, of Elmira, N. Y., and Mrs. N. T. Fulton, of Williamsport, Pa.

Mr. Arnold located in Ridgway shortly after being admitted to the bar, coming here from Wilcox, where he and Mrs. Arnold both taught the winter before in the public schools. He began the practice of law here with Dyson Rishell, under the firm name of Rishell & Arnold, and when Mr. Rishell left Ridgway in 1866, Mr. Arnold took into partnership with him W. W. Barbour, Esq., who had studied law with the firm, and they practiced law together for almost ten years, dissolving by mutual consent, but remaining fast friends until Mr. Arnold's death.

Though the large wealth that came to Mr. Arnold through his fine talent, business ability, and indefatigable energy enabled Mr. and Mrs. Arnold to build their beautiful home and enjoy it in luxury, yet it never made them in the least proud or haughty, and they were just as accessible and as sociable and pleasant as they had been in their younger days.

Sealed Proposals.

The School Board of Emporium Borough will receive bids for cleaning and calsomining the ceilings and walls of the East and West Ward buildings, bids for each building to be separate and to be in the hands of the Secretary of the Board by August 1st, 1906.

By order of the Board,
22-3t. R. R. MCQUAY, Sec'y.

Brutal Treatment.

The brutal treatment to dumb animals in this place is simply awful. If our Humane Society are not able to check the abuse call on the state society—we'll bet a doughnut they will land the people for keeps.

Bread and Cake Sale.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will conduct a bread, cake and pie sale at Reading Room, next Saturday, from ten a. m., until all are sold.

A Good Job.

Hon. John McDonald, Supervisor of P. & E., done a good job on P. & E. crossing at Broad street.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Fair SATURDAY, Fair

SUNDAY, Showers.

ASSETS

First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business August 8th, 1906.

$737,879.19.

Quitters are losers in the game of life. Plan to deposit your money in this bank and stick steadfastly to your plan.

DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST.
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting Borough Council Emporium, August 6th, 1906.

Present: Messrs. Gregory, Julian, Marshall, Hamilton, Friendle, White and Cramer. Absent: None.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Julian, seconded by Mr. Friendle that contract for sewer extensions be awarded to the lowest bidder Mr. Simpson. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Gregory that all bills be paid with exception of two printing bills for advertising bids for Sewer Extensions. Carried.

W. F. Lloyd, Paid freight bills		$ 1 53
Lee Halderman, Draying for Borough		90
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., Invoice		2 35
Oil City Oil Co., Invoice		3 06
A. H. Shaffer, Services as Engineer		79 16
St. Marys Gas Co., Gas for July		20 70
Emporium Planing Mill, Invoice		2 50
T. N. Hacket, Invoice		67
Cameron County Press, Printing		42 00
Emporium Independent, Printing		42 00
Keystone Powder Mfg Co., Invoice		3 35
Emporium Machine Co., Invoice (2)		5 63
John Lundine Johnson, Work on streets		38 00
John Welch,	"	35 00
James Davin,	"	33 25
Burton Housler,	"	9 00
A. Sawaya,	"	31 50
James Sawaya,	"	9 63
Frank Sawaya,	"	30 63
Lew Sherry,	"	29 75
Chas. Dwaleebe,	"	18 38
Dick Bingeman,	"	09 06
Sam Blush,	"	6 12
Geo. Hamed,	"	17 56
Tony Brino,	"	28 09
Michal Modock,	"	17 50
Frank Irchey,	"	28 06
Jas. Irchey,	"	6 12
Patsey Irchey,	"	9 93
August Extrom,	"	25 81
Deebe Dwaleebe,	"	35 00
Con Lewis,	"	7 00
August Jencho,	"	21 00
Kit Delphy,	"	14 00

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Marshall that Ordinance relative to Franchise for Emporium Telephone Co., be referred to a commitee of three, who will report at next meeting of Council. Carried.

The President appointed as Committee Messrs. White, Marshall and Friendle, with Mr. White as Chairman.

Moved by Mr. Marshall seconded by Mr. Fisher that Auditors be paid for Auditors Report for years ending 1903 and 1904. Carried

Moved by Mr. White seconded by Mr. Marshall that a vote be taken to elect engineer for electric light plant. Carried.

A vote was taken which resulted as follows: Mr. Brooks received five votes and Mr. Knickerbocker received four votes. Mr. Brooks was declared elected.

Moved by Mr. Julian, seconded by Mr. White that electric light engineer's salary be $75 per month, beginning at once with understanding that engineer do all work. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Hamilton that street commissioner be given a vacation of one week or two weeks if he wishes, with full pay for one week, when street paving is finished. Carried.

On motion Council then adjourned.

R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

Castle Garden Church.

EDITOR PRESS:—We are glad to report that the church fund has increased $130 since last report. By the financial committee, $80.00; and $50.00 from Lewis Emery. This is every encouraging to the committee and all concerned in the building of God's house. Some think it is folly to try to build, but we believe our labors will be crowned with success. Had God stopped creating the first or second day we would not have a world. If Noah had stopped work on the ark after he worked fifty years he would have been drowned. But he kept on creating and Noah kept on working until all was finished. We have the world, Noah had his ark and we will have the church. There is one Governor to hear from, the Congressman, the Judges, Senators and Prothonotaries. They will all give, unless the beggars weary them with there continued asking, like poor widow that wanted the judge to avenge her of her adversaries.

J. F. S., the Huntley Websterian Ink Slinger, and all-around good fellow, has consented to help us with his pen pen and we look for something to be done in this direction that will tell. An epitaph on an old tombstone has this pithy declaration:

What I give that I have,
What I spent that I had,
What I kept that I lost.

MORE ANON.

The PRESS from Aug. 1st until after election for twenty-five cents. Subscribe at once.

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H. H. MULLIN, Editor.

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Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

A Cleveland man wtih five sets of twins and four odd ones in his family, believes President Roosevelt should award him a medal. A "twin medal," not a "tin one," is evidently what he wants.

San Franciscans insist that within three years their city will be greater than ever. Under such circumstances optimism is an asset second in value to none.

Army and navy maneuvers in the United States are pronounced to be a bluff by other countries, but not by those who have felt the force of Uncle Sam's arms.

A consul writes that Colombia publishes no statistics. Colombia is wise in this respect, if it loses many opportunities like the one in which it tried to work Uncle Sam for a hugely bigger offer.

The gardens of the Palace La Granja, where Alfonso and Victoria spend their honeymoon, is celebrated for its fountains. One of them, the Banos del Diane, spouts to the height of 130 feet. When the fountain was completed, Philip V., the builder of the palace, said:

"Well, it has cost me $3,000,000, but for three minutes I have been amused."

One of the strongest indorsements of the Osages as a law-abiding people was given by J. F. Palmer in his speech at Hominy recently, says the Osage (Okla.) Journal, when he said that out of the 2,000 on the roll there was at the present time only one member in prison, and there had been in the past period of ten years at a time when not an Osage was behind prison bars. Out of a population of 2,000 this is a remarkable showing, and speaks well for the Osage as a future citizen of the new commonwealth.

This latest news from the Crow reservation is discouraging. We do not like to hear that the genuine cowboy is dying out and that solemn, useful, commonplace persons from the middle west are taking up new lands, thus transforming a scene of gayety into one of plain, everyday, humdrum industry and thrift. Of course, we want to see the country prosper and hear it hum with progress. But we should like to preserve at least a little of the picturesque, the impulsive and the primeval. The buffalo has been exterminated. There is hardly a bear left that won't eat out of your hand. Are we to put Cinnamon Pete to driving street cars and hire gun fighters to feed pigs?

In September the birthday of Pike's Peak will be observed by the state of Colorado. When Lieut. Pike was captured by Spanish soldiers in February, 1807, he was relieved of several maps and manuscripts which were never recovered. They are supposed to have been sent by the governor of Santa Fe to the viceroy of the City of Mexico, and by him forwarded to Madrid. As the Spanish are careful about the preservation of historical documents and records, it is believed that Pike's papers are still in existence. At the suggestion of Representative Brooks, of Colorado, Secretary Root has requested the Spanish government to institute a search for them. If found they will probably be returned.

Texas Woman says that it is a mistake to suppose m(would be more domestic if their wives should feed them better. She says a highly-fed man becomes so frisky that it is impossible to control him, and that the only way to hold him to a condition of humility and subjection is to serve him plain food and make him bring in the wood.

Matto Grosso, the Brazilian state where a "terrible" revolt has been reported, by way of Lisbon, has half a million square miles of territory, and less than 100,000 inhabitants. Any wild-eyed insurrection might rampage around in that wilderness without doing much damage.

A New York specialist says bridge whist is responsible for much of the nervous prostration among women. It is more responsible for the nervous disorders of the husbands of the bridge women.

No complaint is made abroad of microbes on American rifles. The British soldiers in India will hunt with no other kind.

THERE IS MORE THAN ONE WAY TO BREAK IN.

NO NEED OF HASTE

WHAT SECRETARY SHAW SAID OF TARIFF REVISION.

Matter Will Rest Until the Comfort and Happiness of the People Require a Change.

The La Crosse Leader says: "The Republicans of the west agree with Senator Shaw that the tariff should be revised by its friends. They are also in favor of getting busy."

With the report from the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor showing the commerce of the United States, both as to exports and imports, exceeding that of any previous year in the history of the country; with prosperity at flood tide; with every industry working full time or overtime and two jobs or more for every man wanting a job, the argument that any industry in this country is suffering at the hands of the Dingley tariff is pure rot. Under the protective tariff the country has enjoyed a greater measure of prosperity than at any previous period in its history; in a word, it owes all the prosperity it ever derived from the Republican policies. If on the day of the enactment of the Dingley statute some enthusiastic friend of protection had predicted on the floor of congress or elsewhere that in less than a decade under the operation of that law the United States would become the greatest export nation in the world, and that the total volume of our imports and exports would exceed $2,500,000,000 annually he would have been regarded as a dreamer or lunatic, and yet for the year ending the present month the total foreign commerce of this country will approximate three billions of dollars in value, beating all records. The Dingley tariff isn't anything to injure the country in the light of things visible. The country has never been so rich and prosperous as it is to-day.

We have had one experience with tariff revision. Grover Cleveland was elected on a free trade or tariff revision platform. The tariff was revised, and it brought on the most disastrous financial and industrial depression the world has ever witnessed, costing the people of the United States more than twelve billions of dollars, filling the country with want and woe, with millions idle and begging for work or bread. Has any one ever witnessed an army of industrious, honest and hungry men marching to Washington to demand work under a Republican administration? There are some people in this country who know when they have enough, and a whole lot of them don't want any more experience with Democratic tariff panics.

There is no occasion, with the business and industries of the United States at the high tide of activity and prosperity, for tariff tinkering. It would disturb existing conditions inevitably. The millions of people who are now contented and happy because they are receiving liberal wages and steady employment would not relish a return to idleness and poverty. The American people are better clothed, better housed, have more of the comforts and luxuries of life now than they ever before enjoyed. They believe in letting well enough alone.

It will be time to revise the tariff when conditions demand it and when the comfort and happiness of the people are dependent upon it. And Secretary Shaw, for his part, says the time will not come until after the next presidential election. That is all. He does not declare that it will be necessary to revise the tariff then, for he is not a prophet, and cannot know what conditions will be at that time. What Secretary Shaw does say is that when the time comes to revise the tariff all good Republicans will be found in favor of revision, and the work will be done just as faithfully and intelligently as the party discharged its obligation to the country in framing the Dingley law.—Bay City Tribune.

NOT A UNIVERSAL DEMAND

Statement That Western Republicans Are Clamoring for Tariff Reform Is Incorrect.

A few Republican and many Democratic correspondents at Washington are telling their papers that the Republican party will suffer in the west in the congressional election of 1906 on account of its attitude on the tariff and on meat inspection. They say there is a powerful sentiment in Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois and other western states in favor of a revision of the tariff and as the Republican party of the nation is opposed to tariff changes of any sort at this time they reason that the paty will lose votes throughout all the region. Meat inspection, they declare, is dealing a heavy blow to the cattle and hog raisers, and, as the Republican congress and the Republican administration pushed a measure for meat inspection, the Republicans are sure to be hit hard in all the western states in the contest of 1906.

These prophets are astray. The tariff revision sentiment which they imagine they see in the west is confined to a very few spots, and is not very pronounced even in those spots. Gov. Cummins, of Iowa, is a reviser, but it is not altogether certain that the Republicans of his state back him in his demand. Secretary Shaw, who probably represents a pretty large element of the Iowa Republicans, is against revision at this time. So is Senator Allilson, who also stands for a good many Republicans in that state. Gov. Cummins is making a canvass on the revision issue now, and although he claims to be far ahead of Perkins, his rival, for the governorship candidacy, it is not entirely certain that he is correct. Perkins' friends are also making claims, and these do not agree with those of the governor. But even if Cummins should carry the state on that issue, it would not necessarily indicate that the west was on his side. There are a good many states in the west, and there has not been any marked demonstration in favor of tariff revision among the Republicans in any of them except in Iowa and Wisconsin. Those are important states, but they do not dictate the policy of the national Republican party. Moreover, the Republicans will carry both of them on the congressional vote this year.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Prediction.

The views of a practical business man and large industrial producer of Providence, as expressed in a letter to the American Economist, are worthy of attention:

"It is essential to leave the tariff absolutely alone.

"It can do no harm, and it is doing good every day.

"I stated before the ways and means committee in 1897 that we were then the largest agricultural nation. That if the Dingley tariff would remain in force for 25 years we would be the largest manufacturing and money nation in the world. In manufacturing iron and steel and some other items we are to-day.

"If the present tariff if left absolutely alone for 15 years more we will be the largest in all these departments, as I predicted."

Nine of the 25 years have passed, and the prediction has been practically verified. Under the operation of a protective tariff the United States leads the world:

In manufactures.

In agriculture.

In gross wealth and per capita wealth.

In internal and external trade.

In the production of coal, iron ore, and pig iron.

With 16 years more of uninterrupted protection, who can doubt that the United States would become the financial center, as it is now the industrial center of the world?

The idea which has taken possession of Mr. Bryan lately is one that he had not expected to pick up when he went abroad this time.

LAW UNCONSITUTIONAL

Right to Labor and to Employ Labor Is Inherent and Cannot be Taken Away Except on Ground of Public Good.

New York. — The state law of New York restricting the labor by women and children to ten hours a day and 60 hours a week in a factory was declared on Friday by Justice Olmstead in the court of special sessions to be "an unwarranted invasion of constitutional rights." The ruling was concurred in by Justices McKean and Deuel. Judge Olmstead declared that the law was class legislation.

Justice Olmsted said, in part, in his decision: "To labor and employ labor are inherent and inalienable rights of our citizens and cannot be taken away in whole or in part unless upon the broad ground of public good, which must be apparent, and cannot be predicated upon legislative dictum.

"In the case under consideration the right of the employed and the right of the employer are equally involved. Nothing to the contrary appearing, it must be assumed that the woman was a willing worker for a willing employer and that the result was mutually satisfactory and profitable.

"The present constitution of the state of New York was adopted in 1894. All of the rights which adult women possessed at that time were confirmed by that document. One of those rights certainly was the right to contract for her labor and to work when and where she pleased. It was not until four years after that the law making power sought to place the limitation under consideration upon them.

"What was the legislative intent in doing this? The attorney general finds and urges no other reason than that the general welfare of the state demands that the progeny of women of the factories shall have mothers with healthy bodies to the end that the state may have sturdy citizens. Does the state look merely to the children of the factory women for its future good citizens? Why should the housewife, the woman who toils at home, in mercantile house, in offices, or she who tolis not at all be exempt from legislative interference, injunctive or mandatory, for the same reason? If this question of future citizenship is the only excuse for the assumption of police power, what becomes of the rights of the non-child bearing woman, a considerable class?"

Attorney General Mayer says that he will appeal from the decision of the court.

ALL SECTIONS ENJOY PROSPERITY.

Report of R. G. Dun & Co. on the Condition of Business.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Commercial activity is well maintained, and early preparations are made for autumn and winter business. August opened with no adverse developments in the trade situation, while crop progress during July was most favorable. Trade reports are dependent upon agricultural results, but all sections of the nation enjoy great prosperity and there is scarcely a discordant note in any of the dispatches received.

Scarcity of labor is the only serious complaint, output of coke being curtailed, and there is delay in harvesting crops, while strikes retard the building of San Francisco; but, on the other hand, a slight modification of the 1903 scale has brought back 8,000 more bituminous coal miners and the threatened struggle at 33 paper mills has been averted, while advanced wages brought full activity in the textile industry.

Commodity prices are fairly steady, cheaper grain because of large crops being offset by strength in the leading materials of manufacture.

It is not often that managers of a leading industry are uneasy regarding the future because of too much business, yet that is becoming the situation at iron furnaces and steel mills.

Failures this week in the United States are 180, against 216 last week. Failures in Canada number 16, against 15 last week.

Cloudburst Causes Great Damage.

Reading, Pa. — A terrific cloudburst struck the borough of Hamburg, this county, late Friday. A ten-foot flood swept through the main portion of the town, leaving in its wake ruin and devastation. There are washouts in the streets to the depth of ten feet. Allen J. Romig, who was working in a tinsmith shop, was drowned. The tinsmith shop was swept away. More than 50 dwellings were damaged. Many persons escaped drowning by rushing to the upper floors of their residences. The total loss will amount to more than $50,000.

Flour Warehouse Burns.

Albany, N. Y.—Fire on Friday practically destroyed the mammoth flour house owned by Henry Russell, of this city, the eastern distributing agent for one of the largest flour mills in the United States. The building was 1,900 feet long and 35 feet wide, with a capacity of 50,000 barrels. About 35,000 barrels of flour were destroyed. Loss about $300,000.

Two Killed in Explosion.

Scranton, Pa. — Jeremiah Wilson was killed and Charles Parrish fatally injured by an explosion in the North End Coal Co.'s colliery Friday. They had prepared a blast and lighting the fuse started to retreat to a place of safety. They ran into a blast in an adjoining chamber.

Death of Admiral Train.

Che Foo.—Rear Admiral Charles J. Train, commander - in - chief of the United States Asiatic fleet, died at 9:16 Saturday morning, of uraemia.

A BRIGHT PROSPECT.

Leaders in the Iron Trade Speak with Less Reserve Concerning 1907—Iron Age Sums Up Condition of Market.

New York.—The Iron Age says: Simultaneously with reports of a further access of strength in all the pig iron markets of the country, comes the statement of the United States Steel Corporation, showing the largest quarter's earnings in its history. Leaders in the trade now speak with less reserve concerning early 1907, after having for some time limited their predictions of good times to 1906. The volume of orders on the steel corporation's books on June 30, 6,809,589 tons, is the largest mid-year total it has been able to report.

Pig iron has been the feature of the week's market. In the east the buying movement in basic iron that was well under way a week ago carried the total purchases of the fortnight above 125,000 tons, some estimates reaching 150,000 tons. The remarkable fact about it is that consumers provided for their needs for the balance of the year with an advance between the first and the last buying of but 25 cents.

Foundry iron markets are advancing. Southern irons are 25 cents to 30 cents higher. In the Buffalo district a further advance of 50 cents was made and eastern Pennsylvania makers have marked up their figures.

Finished material markets show unusual mid-summer activity, distributed all along the line. At Chicago, railroads have entered large orders for track supplies. Rail buying for the week has been light.

MINE EXPLOSION

Causes the Death of Two People in a Pennsylvania Town.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—A terrific explosion occurred in the mine of the Warrior Run Coal Co. at Warrior Run, near here, Wednesday, and John Shumaker, a miner, was instantly killed.

Through crevices formed in the surface by the explosion the gas escaped from the workings below into the houses situated over the mine and, coming into contact with a lighted lamp in the home of John Wiliams, caused another explosion which resulted in the death of his daughter, Margaret, aged 16 years.

The settling of the earth also affected the water mains of the village and as a consequence the home of Williams and an adjoining house were totally destroyed. The town was in total darkness, as tse escaping gas made the use of lights extremely hazardous.

Becoming Grave.

Victoria, B. C.—Advices received by the Empress of Japan say the rising in Kiangai and Chekiang provinces is becoming a grave movement, and many believe the rising will assume similar proportions to the Taiping rebellion. Hsin Cheng Hsien, a large walled city, was captured by the rebels and looted. A garrison of 5,000 was left to prepare the city to withstand a siege by imperial troops. Several corps of imperial troops have been dispatched. The Roman Catholic and the Protestant churches were destroyed and although the native pastors escaped, six converts were murdered. Large bodies of disbanded soldiers are affiliated with the rebels.

Cummins Nominated.

Des Moines, Ia. — Gov. Albert B. Cummins was nominated for re-election by the republican state convention in a harmonious session that belied all prognostications of a possible split in the state party over control for the head of the state ticket. A full state ticket was nominated, most of the candidates being nominated by acclamation.

But One Higher.

Denver, Col.—The Argentine Central railroad, from Silver Plume, on the Colorado & Southern railroad, to the summit of Mount McClellan on Gray's Peak, was opened for traffic Wednesday. This road reaches a point 14,000 feet above the sea level and is the highest traction road in the world, with the exception of the Peruvian Central, in the Andes.

Registration for Lands.

Cheyenne, Wyo.—The total registration for lands in the Shoshone reservation, which closed Tuesday evening, is 10,583. The greatest registration was at Shoshoni, where were registered 4,453.

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ONE KILLED

And Two Wounded, One Fatally, in an

ELECTION FIGHT.

A Memphis, Tenn., Saloonkeeper is Riddled With Buckshot By a Judge of Elections.

Memphis, Tenn.—J. G. Wellington, a saloonkeeper, was killed, W. J. Cooke, a judge of elections, is fatally wounded and a third man less seriously injured in a fight at a polling place a few minutes after the closing of the polls for the election of county officers Thursday.

B. E. Conn, the third man wounded, was another judge of elections. He was not seriously hurt.

The trouble arose over the county election, which was held Thursday. Wellington insisted on being present at the count of the ballots and in an argument, Wellington is said to have drawn a revolver and began shooting. According to the story told to the police, Conn rushed out of the polling place, secured a shotgun and began firing. The first shot fairly riddled Wellington with buckshot.

Wellington kept on firing until he dropped, and when the smoke of the battle cleared away, Cooke was found on the floor desperately wounded, a bullet from Wellington's revolver having pierced his side.

PIG IRON.

Production for the Year 1906 Will Exceed 25,000,000 Tons.

Philadelphia, Pa.—The American Iron and Steel association has received from the manufacturers complete statistics of the production of pig iron in the United States and Canada in the first half of 1906. The production of pig iron in the United States for the period named was 12,602,901 gross tons, against 11,829,205 tons in the last half of 1905 and 11,163,175 tons in the first half of 1905.

The production in the first half of 1906 was the largest in any half year in the history of the trade and larger than that of any whole year prior to 1899. It is now reasonably certain that the production of pig iron in 1906 will exceed 25,000,000 tons.

The production in Canada in the first half of 1906 amounted to 282,010 tons, against 257,797 tons in the last half of 1905 and 210,206 tons in the first half of that year. The production in the first six months of 1906 was the greatest half year in the history of the Dominion. It was also greater than the production of any whole year to 1902.

FEUD FIGHT

In Kentucky Results in the Killing of Four Men.

Louisville, Ky.—A dispatch from Sand Lick, Knott county, says four men were killed there Wednesday night in a fight between the Martin and Hall feud factions. The factions have been at war for some time and the authorities have been trying unsuccessfully to end the trouble.

The Martin faction is said to be led by W. Yates Martin and his two sons, Silas and Alexander. They are now entrenched at the home of Martin, on Beaver creek. Sheriff Hayes and posse are in the neighborhood, but it is not believed any arrests will be made.

Every effort is being made to get a truce arranged and to persuade Martin and his sons to surrender to the authorities.

Unless the Martins surrended within a short time Gov. Beckham will be asked to send troops.

Must Pay Back Taxes.

Cincinnati, O.—Back taxes to the amount of $182,728 must be paid by the Union Central Life Insurance Co. if the state supreme court sustains the decision announced Thursday by Judge Hoffheimer, of the superior court. The county treasurer brought suit, claiming between two and three million dollars in back taxes. The amount of judgment was for taxes on money on deposit against which checks had been written and afterwards cancelled, not having been used.

Condemned the Aikin Law.

Columbus, O.—In state convention on Thursday the prohibitionists divorced their party from other temperance organizations, condemned the Aikin $1,000 saloon tax law as vicious in principle and powerless as a remedy, and adopted a platform declaring for direct legislation, woman suffrage, international arbitration, election of United States senators by direct vote and a more rigid bank inspection. Alfred F. Hughes, of Delaware county, was nominated for secretary of state.

Price of Oil Drops.

Toledo, O.—Because of the great amount of oil being sent to the Standard Oil Co.'s numerous plants, another cut of three cents east and two cents west was posted by the western management Thursday. This makes a cut of six cents east and four cents west this week.

Billings Buys Another Fast One.

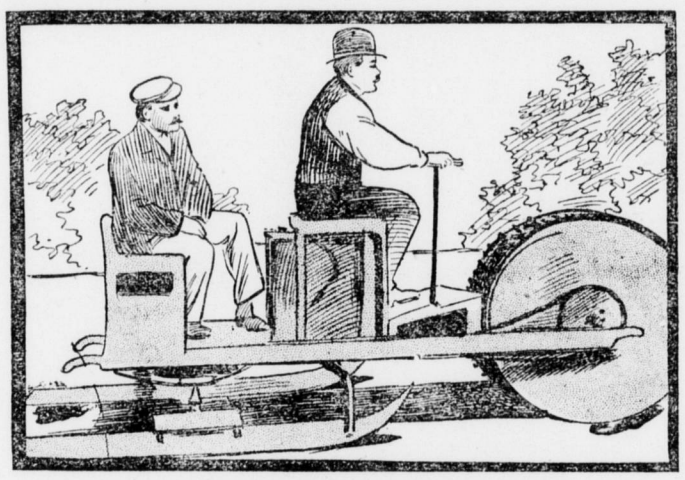
Decatur, Ill.—W. H. Stubblefield, of Oran, Mo., on Wednesday sold the 7-year-old stallion Blacklock (2:07¼) to C. K. G. Billings, of Chicago, for $10,000.

THE ACCESSORIES OF THE WELLMAN POLAR EXPEDITION

Some of the Wonders of Science That Are to Be Used in the Attempt to Reach the Pole.

What may be called the accessories of the equipment of the Wellman polar expedition are by no means least in point of interest in the novel undertaking to reach the north pole in an airship. The way in which the explorer has utilized the latest scientific discoveries and inventions in his coming battle with the elements of the north form one of the most interesting chapters in the story of preparation. With the exception of the airship itself the wireless telegraph and the motor sledge, or, as Mr. Wellman calls it, "the mechanical dog," stand out as of peculiar interest. Should Mr. Wellman and his companions be successful in reaching the pole the wireless telegraph instrument is expected to inform the world of the act of placing the American flag on that important point of the world's surface within a few minutes after it has occurred. Should anything happen to the airship the "mechanical dogs" offer the possibility of motoring over the ice and snow to safety.

In this respect, as in all other ways, the Wellman expedition will differ from all others, for direct communication, not only with the base on Dane's island, but with the commercial cables of the world, is expected to be maintained through the De Forest wireless telegraph apparatus that forms an important part of the impedimenta of the expedition. The wireless telegraph service, like the airship, while not having been brought to the highest stage of perfection or certainty of successful operation, nevertheless has become commercially practicable and reasonably reliable. Recent tests at sea have lengthened the possible communication distance to more than 1,000 miles without relay. A complete wireless outfit forms a part of the expedition's apparatus, and one of the five men who will make the trip in the airship is an expert wireless telegraph operator and mechanician.



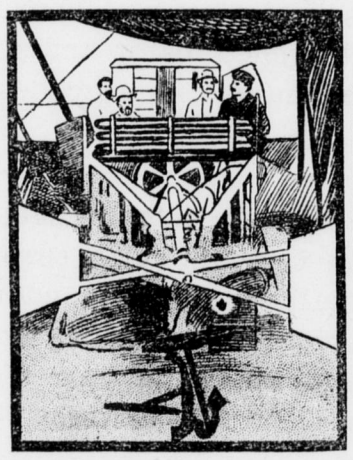
ONE OF THE "MECHANICAL DOGS."
Drawings Made from a Photograph taken in France, where the Machines Were Tested.

The "Mechanical Dog."

While it is unnecessary to point out that, without the utmost confidence in the efficiency and "staying" powers of the airship, the promoters of this epoch-making expedition would not undertake it, yet this confidence has not been of the blind sort that has caused them to hurl caution to the winds. Two supplemental provisions have been made for insuring the success of the expedition and the lives of the explorers. The most important of these is the motor sledge which is to be carried in the car of the airship and which, it is confidently believed, will prove of the utmost value in the event of accident to the airship at any stage of the voyage. There are two of these sledges, propelled by gasoline motors. They have six-horsepower each. The motor is mounted on runners, like those of the ordinary sled, and the power is transmitted by chain to a large front wheel which has breadth enough to serve the purpose of a snowshoe and the periphery of which is studded with projecting spikes to furnish the gripping power.

These "mechanical dogs" weigh 225 pounds each and can be carried by two men. They are so constructed that they can be knocked down and assembled quickly and when such obstacles are met as they cannot overcome they can be taken apart and hauled by the explorers over the hard places.

In all previous explorations the Eskimo dog has been the traction mainstay of the explorers. While the canine of the north has proved of the greatest assistance in reaching high altitudes he has many drawbacks; but from his mechanical successor Mr. Wellman expects, if compelled to forsake his ship, to derive all the advantages of the real dog and none of the disadvantages. The motors used in these novel sledges are air cooled, of the ordinary motor-cycle type.

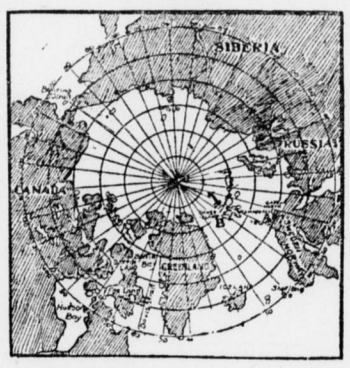


MR. WELLMAN AND COMPANIONS IN AIRSHIP CAR.
Made from a Photograph Taken in France at the Testing of the Machine.

The Wireless Telegraph.

Heretofore arctic explorers, after leaving their base of supplies, have been cut off from all communication with the more southerly world. Hundreds of them have perished in places not so remote but that they might have been succored had they been able to communicate with their base.

At Hammerfest, Norway, a point in touch with the Atlantic cable, the first wireless station has been established. Station No. 2 will be at the base of the expedition on Dane's island, and wireless station No. 3 will be in the airship. The "aerial," which on land and on sea-going ships is a mast, in this case will be a wire suspended from the airship, and which can be coiled up out of the way when not in use. The experts in wireless telegraphy have gone over the situation in the light of conditions as they are likely to find them in the arctic region, and have given it as their opinion that there is nothing in these conditions to prevent the maintenance of virtually constant communication between the airship and the Dane island station. In its present use at sea there are often atmospheric disturbances which temporarily destroy the usefulness of the wireless apparatus, but these periods have been brief. It is believed thoroughly by the experts in wireless telegraphy that nothing short of a catastrophe which wrecks the ship and renders all apparatus useless will prevent the publishing daily of dispatches from the explorers sailing poleward in the monster airship. As the magnetic pole of the earth has been found 1,200 miles from the mathematical pole, on the coast of North America, it is reasonably certain that at the mathematical pole there will be encountered no magnetic disturbances which will destroy the usefuness of the wireless apparatus.



MAP OF THE POLAR REGIONS.
Showing Route of the Wellman Expedition and the Location of the Wireless Telegraph Stations.
A—Hammerfest wireless station No. 1, where connection is made with cable line.
B—Dane's Island wireless station and base of expedition.

Moving Pictures Provided.

The importance of the expedition is reflected significantly in the fact that a London firm has sent cinematograph operators to Spitzbergen for the purpose of catching on moving films all the trial work done before the serious flight is undertaken. Already these operators have been in Norway photographing the trials of the "mechanical dogs" and these films have been shown in London with great success. Spitzbergen is as far as the moving picture men will be able to follow the expedition, but ample provision has been made for the securing of still pictures after the airship leaves Dane's island for the pole. The experiments with the "mechanical dogs" were made in Norway, and the results, as shown by the moving pictures shown in London, were eminently satisfactory.

LIKE EDGE OF THE WORLD

Unalaska, in the Alaskan Islands, a Desolate Spot—Where White Men May Not Land.

Unalaska resembles other northern stations, having warehouses, docks, the inevitable Greek church and a score of wooden cabins. Whalers leave here for the Arctic regions.

Dutch Harbor is a station for our revenue fleet. There is much coming and going of ships of all nations; there are quite a formidable fleet, and only two ships out of twelve carry colors of the same country.

Just before entering the harbor one notices a detached rock high against the side of the cliff. It bears a striking resemblance to a Russian priest in full robes. Touched by the sunset light, he seemed to stand blessing the harbor.

Sailing north out into Behring sea, one looks back at the desolate, silent, treeless islands, which seem to wall the edge of the world. Hundreds of miles west they run toward Vladivostok.

Two hundred and forty miles north of Unalaska are the Pribilof islands; not large, but the greatest seal islands in the world. There are many fur seals around the shores of Behring sea and the Aleutian islands, but the great mass of them are bred on the Pribilof group. No white man is permitted to land on these breeding grounds without a permit, signed by the secretary of the treasury of the United States.—Outdoor Life.

FOUR YEARS OF AGONY.

Whole Foot Nothing But Proud Flesh —Had to Use Crutches—"Cuticura Remedies the Best on Earth."

"In the year 1899 the side of my right foot was cut off from the little toe down to the heel, and the physician who had charge of me was trying to sew up the side of my foot, but with no success. At last my whole foot and way up above my calf was nothing but proud flesh. I suffered untold agonies for four years, and tried different physicians and all kinds of ointments. I could walk only with crutches. In two weeks afterwards I saw a change in my limb. Then I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment often during the day, and kept it up for seven months, when my limb was healed up just the same as if I never had trouble. It is eight months now since I stopped using Cuticura Remedies, the best on God's earth. I am working at the present day after five years of suffering The cost of Cuticura Ointment and Soap was only $6, but the doctors' bills were more like $600. John M. Lloyd, 718 S. Arch Ave., Alliance, Ohio, June 27, 1905."

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"Cruising for Salvage."

One man in New York says he makes a good living by what he calls cruising for salvage. He goes about in an automobile and follows novices trying to operate recently purchased machines. If the machines break down or stop he comes up in time to offer his services as a tug or to offer about half the value of the machine if the owner is so disgusted that he wishes to sell.

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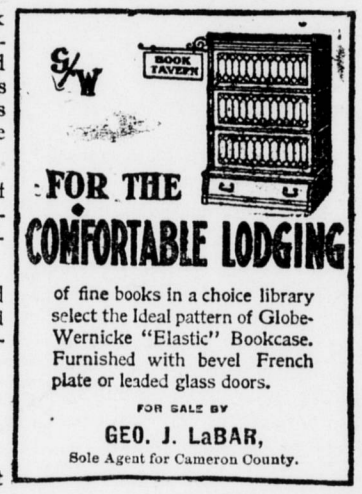

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For Jury Commissioner,
JOHN A. WYKOFF, Grove.

Name the Crimes.

Mr. Emery in his letter makes particular mention of the necessity of punishing men who commit crimes against the whole people, against the community. It is the failure to punish these crimes that has aroused the people not only of Pennsylvania, but of numerous other states of the Union.—Pittsburg Leader.

What crimes? We wish these Democrats, including Emery, would file a bill of particulars.

We have been hearing about crimes for years. It has been the stock in trade of the Democratic orators in Pennsylvania for many a campaign. Heretofore we have had something definite. The crimes were concealed, so it was said, under the Treasury lid, and year after year the State has been ringing with accusations. "Lift the lid" has been the cry ever since there has been a Republican party.

Well, the lid has been lifted. Mr. Berry, who thundered his charges from every stump last fall, was elected for the special purpose of making these charges good. Has he done so? Everyone knows that he has not; that on the contrary, he found no crimes to reveal to an astounded people.

If crimes did not exist in the Treasury Department, where every Democrat said they did exist, where are they? Where can they possibly be concealed?

Time for Emery and the Democrats to bring their proofs. We have had quite enough of this accusing business—several years too much of it. File your bill.—Phila. Inquirer.

The Issue in a Nutshell.

Lewis Emery advocates certain reforms.

Edwin S. Stuart stands for every one of those reforms.

Emery is running on a ticket with three rampant Bryan Democrats and standing on a platform that acclaims Bryan as the next President.

Stuart is running on a ticket with three Republicans who, like himself, are the sincere supporters of and sympathizers with President Roosevelt.

Pennsylvania is a Republican State and the administration at Washington needs its endorsement and help.

It ought to be very easy for any Republican to make up his mind what to do.—Phila. Inquirer.

C. B. Howard & Co., have received from the Pacific Coast what is perhaps the finest lot of RED CEDAR shingles that ever came to Cameron county.

CLINTON COUNTY ENDORSES HON. B. W. GREEN FOR JUDGE

The Republican Convention Gives him Unanimous Endorsement.—Judge Green Empowered to Name His Own Conferees—His Speech is Enthusiastically Received.

From Lock Haven Republican.

At 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the Republican county convention met at the court house to place in nomination a candidate for President Judge of the Twenth fifth Judicial District. It was a special convention held for this purpose and as Hon. B. W. Green, of Emporium, had no oppositon he received the unanimous endorsement of the Clinton county Republicans. Having previously been endorsed by Cameron county insures his nomination by the Republican district conference.

Judge Green was appointed by Governor Pennypacker to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Mayer. This appointment holds good only to the first of January and it is therefore necessary for the voters of the district, which is composed of Clinton, Cameron and Elk counties, to elect a President judge at the November election. The district is naturally Democratic, but with a strong candidate like Judge Green the Republicans have a splendid fighting chance of winning the contest. He is popular throughout the district, is a man of high character, a lawyer of fine ability and during the brief incumbancy of the office has proven himself well qualified to fill the position with honor and credit.

County Chairman H. G. Shearer called the convention to order and appointed E. L. Hoover, C. S. Whitman and E. Ryan as secretaries. The most of the districts in the county were represented and after roll call R. D. Simpson, of Renovo, was placed in nomination for president by S. M. McCormick, Esq., and he was elected by acclamation.

S. M. Hall, South Renovo, and John Berry, of Loganton, were chosen vice presidents, and the temporary secretaries made the permanent ones of the convention.

Nominations for president judge were declared in order and H.T. Hall, Esq., of Lock Haven, in few well chosen remarks placed Hon. B. W. Green, of Emporium, in nomination. The nomination was seconded by S. D. Furst, Esq, of this city in behalf of the Republican members of the bar of Clinton county.

Judge Green being the only name presented, his nomination was made by acclamation. The speeches by Messrs. Hall and Furst were heartily applauded by the members of the convention, for they were in full sympathy with the sentiments of the speakers.

W. D. Kintzing moved that the chair appoint a committee to conduct Judge Green before the convention. The motion prevailed and W. D. Kintzing, R. V. Rogers and H. C. Stoner were named as the committee. Judge Green was cordially received, when he appeared before the convention.

In accepting the nomination of the Republicans of Clinton county Judge Green said in part:

"I would be ungrateful, indeed, if I did not appear before this convention of Republican citizens of the good county of Clinton and thank you personally for the high honor which you have conferred upon me this day. I fully believe my friends, from the knowledge of the people of the Twenty-fifth judicial district and from the warm greetings which I have received from the other good people of this district, that your action here to-day will receive the approval of the people at the general election in November next. I do not appear before you as an absolute stranger. I have known the people of this county for over a third of a century, and for over a quarter of a century we have been associated with the county of Clinton in the same judicial district.

"I desire to be frank with the people and although this may seem to be unnecessary, and yet I say frankly to one and all and to the people of the county at large, that during the time that it is my privilege and my honor to preside over the courts of this district, I shall not in any manner or in any way or particular try to be a Republican, Democrat or to be a partisan judge in any sense of the word. I shall appear on the bench of this Judicial district so long as it is my privilege to serve, without any affiliation of any interest or person whatever. It will be my purpose, to the best of my ability, to treat every person, be he rich or poor, or to whatever political party to which he may belong, without fear or favor.

"I thank you again for placing my name in nomination as president judge of the Twenty-fifth judicial district."

At the close of his speech Judge Green was enthusiastically applauded.

On motion of H. T. Hall, Judge Green was authorized to select his own conferees.

President Simpson then said he felt that the action of the convention would receive the approval of the people, and on motion adjourned the convention.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

Rheumatism Cured in Ten Days. Why Will You Suffer.

Mr. Harry Knox, of Beverly, W. Va., under date of Jan. 23, 1906, says he was laid up with rheumatism for more than two and a half months; part of the time could not get out of bed. Could not walk with out the aid of crutches, and says he took one-half of a 50 cent bottle of Crocker's Rheumatic Cure and was entirely cured. HARRY KNOX. For sale by R. C. Dodson. 21jun3m.

No man believes half the things he wants his wife to believe.

In this state it is no necessary to serve a five days' notice for eviction of a cold. Use the original laxative cough syrup, Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. No opiates. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Be wealthy and people will forget you for not being good.

A world of truth in a few words: "Nearly all other cough cures are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar moves the bowels. Contains no opiates." You can get it at R. C. Dodson's.

The fewer friends a man has the more popular he is with himself

Williams Carbolic Salve with Arnica and Witch Hazel.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c by Druggists. Williams M'f'g Co., Prop's Cleveland, O. For sale by R. C. Dodson. 9-ly.

Summer Diarrhoea in Childreg.

During the hot weather of the summer months the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention, so as to check the disease before it becomes serious. All that is necessary is a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by a dose of castor oil to cleanse the system. Rev. M. O. Stockland, Pastor of the first M. E. Church, Little Falls, Minn., writes: "We have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years and find it a very valuable remedy, especially for summer disorders in children." Sold by L. Taggart; J. E. Smith, Sterling Run; Crum Bros., Sinnamahoning.

Even the chronic liar accidentally tells the truth once in a while.

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Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your Kidneys and Bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so William's Kidney Pills will cure you. Sample free. By mail 50 cents. Sold by R. C. Dodson. Williams M'f'g. Co., Prop's, Cleveand, O. 9-ly.

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LONDON, 49 Haymarket.
VIENNA, Stephansplatz, 8.
BRUSSELS, 65 Bulevard de Waterloo.
LISBON, Rua do Arsenal, 148 & 152.
BARCELONA, Ronda S. Pedro, 36.
MADRID, Calle Tetuan, 3.
ALEXANDRIA, rue Cherif Pacha.
MANILA, 167 Escolta.
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At all Drug Stores in Canada, Cuba, Central America, Honolulu, Porto Rico. the West Indies, and in every City, Town and Hamlet in the United States of America. Humpheys' Homeopathic Medicine Co., N. W. Corner William and John Streets, New York.

The intense itching characteristic of salt rheum and eczema is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. As a cure for skin disease this salve is unequaled. For sale by L. Taggart; J. E. Smith, Sterling Run; Crum Bros., Sinnamahoning.

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Felt's Fancy, "	1 40
Pet Grove, "	1 35
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Rye "	65
Buckwheat, "	70
Patent Meal, "	50
Coarse Meal, per 100,	1 35
Chop Feed, "	1 35
Middlings, Fancy "	1 35
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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

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Henry Zarps transacted business in Buffalo Monday.

E. P. Krape and wife of East Fifth street rejoice over the arrival of a bouncing boy.

Edward Hughes, of Buffalo, is visiting at the home of Mrs. David Murry, on Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Haupt returned on Friday from a week's vacation at Crystal Beach, Canada.

Hubert Brady arrived in Emporium last Friday to spend the remaining holidays with his parents.

Miss Grace A. Walker leaves to-day on an extended visit to Ithaca, Watkins Glen and Spencer Lake.

Mrs. L. T. Hacket, of Buffalo is visiting her mother, Mrs. David Murry and other relatives on Third street.

Miss Ethel B. Day left last Thursday for Friendship, N. Y., to spend a month with her grand-parents.

Mrs. L. B. Munsell, of Emporium, is the guest of her brother, A. F. Gardner at Paddy's Run.—Renovo Record.

Mrs. W. H. DeLong, of Emporia, Fla., was the guest of Mrs. Tom McClellan and family from Saturday until Tuesday evening.—Mt. Jewett Herald.

Dr. Carl Felt came up from Philadelphia on Sunday to join his wife and child, and visit relatives and friends. for three weeks.

Chauncey Cronk, of Houghton, N. Y., visited his daughter Mrs. Walter Morrison at this place last week. Mr. Cronk and daughter made the PRESS a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Day left on Tuesday morning, accompanied by their two sons and daughter Dorcas, to attend the "home coming week" at Friendship, N. Y.

Miss Edith Calbic, of Buffalo, who made Miss Grace A. Walker and Geo. A. Walker a visit of several weeks, returned home on Thursday last. The lady was very favorably impressed with Emporium and made many friends here

Don M. Larrabee spent Sunday and Monday in town. Mr. Larrabee a few months ago was given charge of the combined branch offices of the New York Life Ins. Co., at Harrisburg and Williamsport, comprising a territory of nineteen counties with headquarters at Harrisburg. He retains his residence at Williamsport.

Mrs. Orvis Hemphill of Emporium, visited at the home Mrs. Chas. Butler last week.....Mrs. Anna Fry and children left for their home in New Mexico Wednesday, after spending six weeks here guests of Chas. Fry and family.....J. M. Butler has just completed the remodeling of the dining room at the Horton House. It is an attractive, pretty room. Mr. Butler has laid out several thousand dollars on the Horton House since he has had possession of it.—Port Allegany Reporter.

C. Wesley Barr, of Gibson, transacted business in Emporium on Wednesday.

Miss Charlott Rentz has returned from a visit to Williamsport relatives.

Mrs. C. McCann, of Shingle House, visited her son L. F. McCann in town the past week.

Miss Mildred Douglas, of Olean, is visiting friends in town, guest of her girl friends.

Mr. M. Lilly, of Coudersport and A. King, Port Allegany, were guests of W. S. Sterner on Sunday.

Miss Lillian Susemihl, of Elmira is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Zarps at this place.

Miss Caroline Eddy, of Renovo, visited friends in Emporium Monday, guest of Miss Perna Gaskill.

G. S. Sterner, wife and daughter, of Austin, are guests of their mother, sister and brother at their home on Broad street.

Theos. J Butler and Geo. A. Howard returned last Friday from a seven weeks' stay at Hot Springs, Ark., looking well.

Attorney L. A. Walker and wife of Perry, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gilbert at New Warner, this week.

Mrs. Jos. Kaye accompanied by her daughters Jane and Sarah left this morning for Westboro, Wis., to spend a month.

Misses Ida McConeghy, of Coudersport, Hilda Hertig and Marguerite Metzger were PRESS sanctum visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pitt Felt returned on Saturday from an extended visit to Binghamton, Friendship and numerous other New York points.

Judge B. W. Green and Hon. Josiah Howard attended the funeral of N. T. Arnold, at Ridgway, on Tuesday, serving as honary pall bearers.

Mrs. W. H. Howard and son William, Jr., returned on Wednesday evening, from a visit at Shenandoah. Miss Dolores Bordner returned home with them.

B. D. Morrison, of DuBois, representing the L. C. Smith & Bro's. Type writer Co., transacted business in Emporium Monday, calling on his customers.

Tax Collector Fred Seger left on Monday for Bristol, West Va., to spend a few days with relatives and return home with his wife who has been visiting her parents at Bristol.

Mrs. J. Singler, of Chicago, is the guest of her brother Mr. N. Seger and family. This is Mrs. Singler's first visit to Emporium in many years. She expects to remrin a month.

Mrs. J. M. Butler, of Port Allegany, accompanied by her brother, Thos. S. Rogan of Summerton, S. C, visited in Emporium on Monday, being enroute for St. Marys, to visit their parents.

John O. Sonberg, of Bradford, Pa., editor and manager of the Vart Land visited in Emporium on Monday and called at the PRESS office. His paper is the leading Swedish paper and has a wide circulation.

Mr. Frank T. Beers, a very competent gentleman, will fill the position of Supt., at Climax Powder works, made vacant by the transfer of Mr. Van Gelder to Dover, N. J., possibly permanently.

Howard E. Spangler (J. B. Bedard's manager) and wife, return to-day from visiting friends and relatives at York, Harrisburg, Williamsport and Renovo, having the curtailed honeymoon trip finished up in fine style.

John Geo. Murry, of Buffalo, accompanied by his two daughters, are visit- at the old home on Third street. This is George's first visit to Emporium in three years and like all Emporium boys is glad to meet his old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Hamlin, C. R. Hamlin and the Misses Hamlin of Austin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G Gilbert last Sunday, at New Warner. Mr. Hamlin is general manager of the Beyliss Paper Mills at Austin.

Rev. and Mrs. McNarry and children who have been guests of Rev. Robertson, left on Monday for Warren, Pa., from where they go to Lawrence county, Pa. Mrs. McNarry is Rev. Robertsons sister.

Mr. and Mr. Ray Husted, of Emporium, returned home Saturday, after a visit to Mrs. Husted's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bentley, East Water street. The couple also visited Elmira and other places.—Lock Haven Democrat.

Edward Stewart sends us word from Delray, Mich., where he has moved his family, to forward his PRESS. Mr Stewart has been employed by the Sinnamahoning Iron andCoal Co., and what he does not know about Cameron county coal measures is not worth knowing. He is now engaged in lumber business.

Miss Winnie Gilmartin of town, accompanied by Miss Susie Killeen of Sterling Run, visited the PRESS sanctum on Tuesday. Miss Killeen has been visiting her parents and friends in this section for some time and is now enroute for Chicago. She will stop at Niagara Falls for two weeks and visit friends. The PRESS follows her.

Miss Anna Garrity is visiting her sister Mrs. Philip Dixon, at St. Marys.

Mrs. Jas. F. Creighton and children, passed a few days at Driftwood last week.

Mrs. R. Seger has returned from a several weeks visit with relatives in Kansas.

Mrs. Laura Bryan and Miss Nina visited with Driftwood friends over Sundny.

Mrs. Beatrice Bloom, of Newport News, Va., is visiting her parents at this place.

J. H. Moorehouse, of Pittsburg, is in town transacting business and visiting relatives.

The Blumle-Kinsler party are expected to arrive on Sunday from their European trip.

Capt. W. C. Kress, of Lock Haven, transacted legal business in town Monday and Tuesday.

B. H. Gitchell, of Binghamton, is spending a week at this place, guest of M. T Hogan and family.

Mr. Herman Knowles, chief clerk at New Warner, has returned from a pleasant visit up the Lakes.

The sneak thieves that make nightly visits in this place, will get a good load of lead yet. That's what they are itching for.

Miss Ruth S. Richardson, of Driftwood, is guest of Mrs. Bryan and Miss Nina. Miss Richardson a very successful teacher, will have charge of a school at Curwensville next term.

McCann & Sterner have commenced to receive the machinery and material for their Model Restaurant and Bakery, soon to be opened in Keystone Brick Block.

Thos. H Lynch, of St. Marys, Auditor for Pittsbutg, Shawmut & Northern R. R., was guest at the residence of Judge Green last week. He is Mrs. Green's nephew.

The PRESS editor had the pleasure of shaking hands with Mr. Thos. Creighton, of Emlenton, Pa., who was visiting his cousin Jas. P. Creighton, at this place. He saw the points of interest.

H. G. Rice of St. Marys, has been in charge of J. B. Bedard's tailoring establishment—during Mr. Splangler's vacation. He is a splendid gentleman and we wish there might be work here for him.

Mrs. Dr. Bordner, of Shenandoah, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H Howard and family.

J. H. Welton, of Hicks Run, Pa, was a PRESS visitor to-day,

Somebody entered John Cummings' barn Sunday night and stole a new set of harness.

Col. J. O. Brookbank, L. W. Gleason, Jos. S. Johnston and S. P. Kreider, Driftwood; E. D. Gardner, Renovo, attended the Republican Judicial Convention at this place this afternoon.

William T. DeHaas, Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Courts of Clearfield county, visited in town today and attended the Republican Judicial Convention. We were glad to meet our old friend.

A young man by the name of Dixon, who is employed at the Keystone Powder works, was going to his boarding house near the works one night last week, between nine and ten o'clock was met near the railroad bridge, west of town by two men and asked if he had any money, and was at the same instant seized by the highwaymen, who proceded to search his pockets. Fortunately the young man had no money and was told to go on.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Third nine base ball team will cross bats with Sinnamahoning nine, at Emporium, on Saturday afternoon. Our kids are ripe for the fray.

The pony and outfit chanced off by Gunzberg the tailor of Renovo, was awarded to R. M Buck of that place, last week. The number of Mr. Buck's ticket was 2.

C. B. Howard & Co., have just received a complete assortment of the popular "Fritzier Scherff" belts, also a fine line of Taffeta ribbon in No. 120 width, all colors, which will be sold at the remarkably low price of 25 cents per yard

"No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another. Patronize your town papers, build them up, and they will build the town up and build up increased trade and greater opportunities.—Ex. By glancing over the town papers live business men, looking for locations, will be surprised to see that Emporium offers several good openings to live up-to-date business men.

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At Little Rocky Farm; big wooley, robust fellows. First order gets pick, Don't use a scrub. I will use you right.
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Clothing at a Sacrifice.

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The Man on the Box

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CHAPTER XV.—CONTINUED.

How adroitly he had sown the seed! At that period he had no positive idea upon what kind of ground he had cast it. But he took that chance which all far-sighted men take, and then waited. There was little he had not learned about this handsome American with the beautiful daughter. How he had learned will always remain dark to me. My own opinion is that he had been studying him during his tenure of office in Washington, and, with that patience which is making Russia so formidable, waited for this opportunity.

I shall give the Russian all the justice of impartiality. When he saw the girl, he rather shrank from the affair. But he had gone too far, he had promised too much; to withdraw now meant his own defeat, his government's anger, his political oblivion. And there was a zest in this life of his. He could no more resist the call of intrigue than a gambler can resist the croupier's "Make your game, gentlemen!" I believe that he loved the girl the moment he set eyes upon her. Her beauty and bearing distinguished her from the other women he had met, and her personality was so engaging that her conquest of him was complete and spontaneous. How to win this girl and at the same time ruin her father was an embarrassing problem. The plan which finally came to him he repelled again and again, but at length he surrendered. To get the parent in his power and then to coerce the girl in case she refused him! To my knowledge this affair was the first dishonorable act of a very honorable man. But love makes fools and rogues of us all.

When the American returned to the world, his cigar was out and his coffee was stale and cold.

"A million francs!" he murmured. "Two hundred thousand!"

The seed had fallen on fruitful ground.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE PREVIOUS AFFAIR.

Mrs. Chadwick had completed her toilet and now stood smiling in a most friendly fashion at the reflection in the long oval mirror. She addressed this reflection in melodious tones.

"Madam, you are really handsome: and let no false modesty whisper in your ear that you are not. Few women in Washington have such clear skin, such firm flesh, such color. Thirty-eight? It is nothing. It is but the half-way post: one has left youth behind, but one has not reached old age. Time must be very tolerant, for he has given you a careful selection. There were no years of storm and poverty, of violent passions; and if I have truly loved, it has been you, only you. You are too wise and worldly to love any one but yourself. And yet, once you stood on the precipice of dark eyes, pale skin, and melancholy wrinkles. And even now, if he were to speak . . . Enough! Enough of this folly. I have something to accomplish to-night." She glided from the boudoir into the small but luxurious drawing-room which had often been graced by the most notable men and women in the country.

Karloff threw aside the book of poems by De Banville, rose, and went forward to meet her.

"Madam,"—bending and brushing her hand with his lips, "Madam, you grow handsomer every day. If I were 40, now, I should fear for your single blessedness."

"Or, if I were two-and-twenty, instead of eight-and-thirty,"—beginning to draw on her long white gloves. There was a challenge in her smile.

"Well, yes; if you were two-and-twenty."

"There was a time not long ago," she said, drawing his gaze as a magnet draws a needle, "when the disparity in years was of no matter."

The count laughed. "That was three years ago; and if my memory serves me, you smiled."

"Perhaps I was first to smile; that is all."

"I observe a mental reservation,"—owlishly.

"I will put it plainly, then. I preferred to smile over your protestations rather than see you laugh over the possibility and the folly of my loving you."

"Then it was possible?"—with interest.

"Everything is possible . . . and often absurd."

"How do you know that I was not truly in love with you?"—narrowing his eyes."

"It is not explanatory; it can be given only one name—instinct, which in women and animals is more fully developed than in man. Besides, at that time you had not learned all about Colonel Annesley, whose guests we are to be this evening. Whoever would have imagined a Karloff accepting the hospitalities of an Annesley? Count hath not thy rose a canker?"

"Madam!" Karloff was frowning.

"Count, you look like a paladin when you scowl; but scowling never induces anything but wrinkles. That is why we women frown so seldom. We smile. But let us return to your query. Supposing I had accepted your declarations seriously: supposing you had offered me marriage in that burst of gratitude: supposing I had committed the folly of becoming a countess, what a position I should be in to-day!"

"I do not understand,"—perplexedly.

"No?"—shrugging. She held forth a gloved arm. "Have you forgotten how gallantly you used to button my gloves?"

"A thousand pardons! My mind was occupied with the mystery of your long supposition." He took the arm gracefully and proceeded to slip the pearl buttons through their holes. (Have you ever buttoned the gloves of a handsome woman? I have. And there is a subtile thrill about the proceeding which I can not quite define. Perhaps it is the nearness of physical beauty; perhaps it is the delicate scent of flowers; perhaps it is the touch of the cool, firm flesh; perhaps it is just romance.) The gaze which she bent upon his dark head was emotional; yet there was not the slightest tremor of arm or fingers. It is possible that she desired him to observe the steadiness of her nerves. "What did you mean?" he asked.

"What did I mean?"—vaguely. Her thought had been elsewhere.

"By that supposition."

"Oh, I mean that my position, had I married you, would have been rather anomalous to-day." She extended the other arm. "You are in love."

"In love?" He looked up quickly.

"Decidedly; and I had always doubted your capacity for that sentiment."

"And pray tell me, with whom I am in love?"

"Come, Count, you and I know each other too well to waste time in beating about the bushes. I do not blame you for loving her; only, I say, it must not be."

"Must not be?" The count's voice rose a key.

"Yes, must not be. You must give them up—the idea and the girl. What! You, who contrive her father's dishonor, would aspire to the daughter's hand? It is not equable. Love her honorably, or not at all. The course you are following is base and wholly unworthy of you."

He dropped the arm abruptly and strode across the room, stopping by a window. He did not wish to see her face at that particular instant. Some men would have demanded indignantly to know how she had learned these things; not so the count.

"There is time to retrieve. Go to the colonel frankly, pay his debts out of your own pockets, then tell the girl that you love her. Before you tell her, her father will have acquainted her with his sin and your generosity. She will marry you out of gratitude."

Karloff spun on his heels. His expression was wholly new. His eyes were burning; he stretched and crumpled his gloves.

"Yes, you are right, you are right! I have been trying to convince myself that I was a machine where the father was concerned and wholly a man in regard to the girl. You have put it before me in a bold manner. Good God, yes! I find that I am wholly a man. How smoothly all this would have gone to the end had she not crossed my path! I am base, I, who have always considered myself an honorable man. And now it is too late, too late!"

"Too late? What do you mean? Have you dared to ask her to be your wife?" Had Karloff held her arm at this moment, he would have comprehended many things.

"No, no! My word has gone forth to my government; there is a wall behind me, and I can not go back. To stop means worse than death. My property will be confiscated and my name obliterated, my body rot slowly in the frozen north. Oh, I know my country; one does not gain her gratitude by failure. I must have those plans, and nowhere could I obtain such perfect ones."

"Then you will give her up?" There was a broken note.

The count smiled. To her it was a smile scarce less than a snarl.

"Give her up? Yes, as a mother gives up her child, as a lioness her cub. She has refused me, but nevertheless she shall be my wife. Oh, I am well-versed in human nature. She loves her father and I know what sacrifices she would make to save his honor. To-night!—" But his lips suddenly closed.

"Well, to-night? Why do you not go on?" Mrs. Chadwick was pale. Her gloved hands were clenched. A spasm of some sort seemed to hold her in its shaking grasp.

"Nothing, nothing! In heaven's name, why have you stirred me so?" he cried.

"Supposing, after all, I loved you?" He retreated. "Madam, your suppositions are becoming intolerable and impossible."

"Nothing is impossible. Supposing I loved you as violently and passionately as you love this girl?"

"Madam,"—hastily and with gentleness, "do not say anything which may cause me to blush for you; say nothing you may regret to-morrow."

"I am a woman of circumspection. My suppositions are merely argumentative. Do you realize, Count, that I could force you to marry me?"

Karloff's astonishment could not be equaled. "Force me to marry you?"

"Is the thought so distasteful, then?"

"You are mad to-night."

"Not so. In whatever manner you have succeeded in this country, your debt of gratitude is owing to me. I do not recall this fact as a reproach; I make the statement to bear me on in what I have to submit to your discerning intelligence. I doubt if there is another woman, here or abroad, who knows you so well as I. Your personal honor is beyond impeachment but Russia is making vast efforts to speckle it. She will succeed. Yes, I could force you to marry me. With a word I could tumble your house of cards. I am a worldly woman and not without wit and address. I possess every one of your letters, most of all have I treasured the extravagant ones. To some you have signed your name. If you have kept mine, you will observe that my given name might mean any one of a thousand women who are named 'Grace.' Shall you marry me? Shall I tumble your house of cards? I could go to Col. Annesley and say to him that if he delivers these plans to you, I shall denounce him to the secret service officers. I might cause his utter financial ruin, but his name would descend to his daughter untarnished."

"You would not dare!" the count interrupted.

"What? And you know me so well? I have not given you my word to reveal nothing. You confided in my rare quality of silence; you confided in me because you had proved me. Man is not infallible, even when he is named Karloff." She lifted from a vase her flowers, from which she shook the

"IT IS WAR, THEN?"

water. "Laws have been passed or annulled; laws have died at the executive desk. Who told you that this was to be, or that, long before it came to pass? In all the successful intrigues of Russia in this country, whom have you to thank? Me. Ordinarily a woman does not do these things as a pastime. There must be some strong motive behind. You asked me why I have stirred you so. Perhaps it is because I am neither two-and-twenty nor you two-score. It is these little barbs that remain in a woman's heart. Well, I do not love you well enough to marry you, but I love you too well to permit you to marry Miss Annesley."

"That has the sound of war. I did love you that night,"—not without a certain nobility.

"How easily you say 'that night!' Surely there was wisdom in that smile of mine. And I nearly tumbled into the pit! I must have looked exceedingly well . . . that night!"—drily.

"You are very bitter to-night. Had you taken me at my word, I never should have looked at Miss Annesley. And had I ceased to love you, not even you would have known it."

"Is it possible?"—ironically.

"It is. I have too much pride to permit a woman to see that I have made a mistake."

"Then you consider in the present instance that you have not made a mistake? You are frank."

"At least I have not made a mistake which I can not rectify. Madam, let us not be enemies. As you say, I owe you too much. What is it you desire?"—with forced amiability.

"Deprive Col. Annesley of his honor, that, as you say, is inevitable; but I love that girl as I would a child of my own, and I will not see her caught in a net of this sort, or wedded to a man whose government robs him of his manhood and individuality."

"Do not forget that I hold my country first and foremost,"—proudly.

"Love has no country, nor laws, nor galling chains of incertitude. Love is magnificent only in that it gives all without question. You love this girl with reservations. You shall not have her. You shall not have even me, who loves you after a fashion, for I could never look upon you as a husband; in my eyes you would always be an accomplice."

"It is war, then?"—curtly.

"War? Oh, no; we merely sever our diplomatic relations," she purred.

"Madam, listen to me. I shall make one more attempt to win this girl honorably. For you are right; love to be love must be magnificent. If she accepts me, for her sake I will become an outcast, a man without a country. If she refuses me, I shall go on to the end. Speak to the colonel, madam; it is too late. Like myself, he has gone too far. Why did you open the way for me as you did? I should have been satisfied with a discontented clerk. You threw this girl across my path, indirectly, it is true; but nevertheless the fault is yours."

"I recognize it. At that time I did not realize how much you were to me."

"You are a strange woman. I do not understand you."

"Incompatibility. Come, the carriage is waiting. Let us be gone."

"You have spoilt the evening for me," said the count, as he threw her cloak across her shoulders.

"On the contrary, I have added a peculiar zest. No, let us go and appear before the world, and smile, and laugh, and eat, and gossip. Let the heart throb with a dull pain, if it will; the mask is ours to do with as we may."

They were, in my opinion, two very unusual persons.

CHAPTER XVII.

DINNER IS SERVED.

"Ha!"

Monsieur Pierre, having uttered this ejaculation, stepped back and rested his fat hands on his fat hips. As he surveyed the impromptu butler, a shade of perplexity spread over his oily face. He smoothed his imperial and frowned. This groom certainly looked right, but there was something lacking in his make-up, that indefinable something which is always found in the true servant—servility. There was no humility here, no hypocritical meekness, no suavity; there was nothing smug or self-satisfied. In truth, there was something grimly earnest, which was not to be understood readily. Monsieur Pierre, having always busied himself with soups and curries and roasts and sauces, was not a profound analyst; yet his instinctive shrewdness at once told him that this fellow was no servant, nor could he ever be made into one. Though voluble enough in his kitchen, Monsieur Pierre lacked expression when confronted by any problem outside of it. Here was the regulation swallow-tail coat and trousers of green, the striped red vest, and the polished brass buttons: but the man inside was too much for him.

"Diable! You luke right. But no, I can not explain. Eet ees on zee tongue, but eet rayfuse. Ha! I haf eet! You lack vot zay call zee real. You make me t'ink uf zee sairvant on zee stage, somet'ing bettair off: eh?" This was as near as monsieur ever got to the truth of things.

[To Be Continued.]

SOME QUEER WEDDINGS.

Humorous Incidents of Nuptials Performed by a Noted Cleric.

"It is hard to look over my record of marriage services without continous merriment," wrote the Rev. John Henry Barrows, president of Oberlin College. In a memoir of her father's life Miss Barrows gives some of his experience in his own words.

"I recall the marriage where the awkward father of the bride, who was himself nearly seven feet tall, tried to knell when his daughter knelt and who required help to bring him to his feet again.

"I remember the loving groom who had come to my house to be wed, and who, after the ceremony, tenderly remarked:

"Jennie has no friends here, doctor. I should be so glad if you would kiss her!'

"I think of the young man in church who walked with five other young men up one aisle, while the bride and five other young ladies walked up the other aisle, the two forming a straight military line before the altar, and who, when I whisperingly asked him his first name, replied in loud tones, 'I do,' and who, at the close of the service took out a ten-dollar bill and presented it in the presence of the entire congregation.

"I think of the couple whom I called by wrong names, saying, 'Do you, George?' 'Do you, Martha?' when I was really addressing John and Jane. In hurriedly glancing over the license, I had read the names of the bride's father and mother instead of those of the bride and groom."

Why the Actor Smiled.

The late Joseph Jefferson used to enjoy telling, in his quaint way, of the sad case of a player in the old days. A company had been sent out from New Orleans to visit the towns along the Mississippi river up to St. Louis. Business had been anything but good, and the meager receipts at the box office had resulted in a heavy reduction of salaries before the company had been out for many weeks. One night, after the performance, the stage manager, who also was the leading man, took exception to the manner in which one of the players had interpreted a certain "death scene." "Why," exclaimed the stage manager, indignantly, "you actually smiled in that scene!" "Yes," replied the player who had been rebuked, "in view of the salary that you now pay me, death seems a pleasant relief."—Success Magazine.

French "Bull."

The following verbal "bull" is credited to a Frenchman who, while promenading with a friend, noticed a passing cab drawn by a pair of horses, one black and the other white. "Look," said one; "you don't often see a pure white horse and a pure black one harnessed together."

"That's so," was the response. "Do you know why the black horse is on the near side?"

"No."

"Why, they always put the horse that isn't the same color as the other on the near side."

Proprietary Rights.

"My stars!" exclaimed a sympathetic old lady who had seen a man fall on the icy pavement.

"You are mistaken, madam," responded the man, sitting up and blinking; "they're mine."

Rising stiffly to his feet he went his way.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Significant.

"Well, Borroughs has moved to Lexington."

"Yes, and I miss him, too."

"For how much?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

JOHN HENRY

ON COURTING.

By HUGH McHUGH

[GEORGE V. HOBART]

"In the Days of Old."

Are you wise to the fact that everything is changing in this old world of ours, and that since the advent of fuss-wagons even the old-fashioned idea of courtship has been chased to the woods?

It used to be that on a Saturday evening the young gent would draw down his six dollars' worth of salary and chase himself to the barber shop, where the Dago lawn trimmer would put a crimp in his mustache and plaster his forehead with three cents' worth of hair and a dollar's worth of axle-grease.

Then the young gent would go out and spread 40 cents around among the tradesmen for a mess of water-lilies and a bag of peanut brittle.

The lilies of the valley were to put on the dining-rom table so mother would be pleased, and with the peanut brittle he intended to fill in the weary moments when he and his little geisha girl were not making goo-goo eyes at each other.

But nowadays it is different, and Dan Cupid spends most of his time on the hot foot between the coroner's office and the divorce court.

I've got a hunch that young people these days are more emotional and like to see their pictures in the newspapers.

Nowadays when a clever young man goes to visit his sweetheart he hikes over the streets in a benzine buggy, and when he pulls the bell-rope at the front door he has a rapid-fire revolver in one pocket and a bottle of carbolic acid in the other.

His intentions are honorable and he wishes to prove them so by shooting his lady love if she renigs when he makes a play for her hand.

I think the old style was the best, because when young people quarreled they didn't need an ambulance and a hospital surgeon to help them make up.

In the old days Oscar Dobson would draw the stove brush cheerfully across his dogskin shoes and rush with eager feet to see Lena Jones, the girl he wished to make the wife of his bosom.

"Darling!" Oscar would say, "I am sure to the bad for love of you. Pipe the downcast drop in this eye of mine and notice the way my heart is bubbling over like a bottle of sarsaparilla on a hot day! Be mine, Lena! be mine!"

Then Lena would giggle. Not once, but seven giggles, something like those used in a spasm.

Then she would reply: "No, Oscar; it cannot be. Fate wills it otherwise."

Then Oscar would bite his finger nails, pick his hat up out of the coal-scuttle and say to Lena: "False one! You love Conrad, the floorwalker in the butcher shop. Curses on Conrad, and see what you have missed, Lena. I

"To Prove His Intentions Were Honorable."

have tickets for a swell chowder party next Tuesday. Ah! farewell forever!"

Then Oscar would walk out and hunt up one of those places that Carrie Nation missed in the shuffle and there, with one arm glued tight around the bar rail, he would fasten his system to a jag which would last for a week.

Despair would grab him and he'd be Oscar with the souse thing for sure.

When he would recover strength enough to walk down town without attracting attention of the other side of the street, he would call on Lena and say: "Lena, forgive me for what I done, but love is blind—and, besides, I mixed my drinks. Lena, I was on the downward path and I nearly went to hell."

Then Lena would say: "Why, Oscar, I saw you and your bundle when you fell in the well, but I didn't know it was as deep as you mention."

Then they would kiss and make up, and the wedding bells would ring just as soon as Oscar's salary grew large enough to tease a pocketbook.

But these days the idea is altogether different.

Children are hardly out of the cradle before they are arrested for butting into the speed limit with a smoke wagon.

Even when they go courting they have to play to the gallery.

Nowadays Gonsalvo H. Puffenlotz

"She Thinks She Is a Sibson Girl."

walks into the parlor to see Miss Imogene Cordelia Hoffbrew.

"Wie gehts, Imogene!" says Gonsalvo.

"Simlich!" says Imogene, standing at right angles near the piano because she thinks she is a Gibson girl.

"Imogene, dearest," Gonsalvo continues; "I called on your papa in Wall street yesterday to find out how much money you have, but he refused to name the sum, therefore you have untold wealth!"

Gonsalvo pauses to let the Parisian clock on the mantel tick, tick, tick!

He is making the bluff of his life you see, and he has to do even that on tick.

Besides, this furnishes the local color.

Then Gonsalvo bursts forth again: "Imogene! Oh! Imogene! will you be mine and I will be thine without money and without the price."

Gonsalvo pauses to let this idea get noised about a little.

Then he goes on: "Be mine, Imogene! You will be minus the money while I will have the price!"

Gonsalvo trembles with the passion which is consuming his pocketbook, and then Imogene turns languidly from a right angle triangle into more of a straight front, and hands Gonsalvo a bitter look of scorn.

Then Gonsalvo grabs his revolver and, aiming it at her marble brow, exclaims: "Marry me this minute or I will shoot you in the topknot, because I love you."

Then papa rushes into the room and Gonsalvo politely requests the old gentleman to hold two or three bullets for him for a few moments.

Gonsalvo then bites deeply into a bottle of carbolic acid, and just as the coroner climbs into the house the pictures of the modern lover and loveress appear in the newspapers, and fashionable society receives a jolt.

This is the new and up-to-date way of making love.

However, I think the old style of courting is the best, because you can generally stop a jag before it gets to the undertaker.

What do you think?

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MEDIUM-SIZED SHIPS IN FAVOR.

Late shipping returns compiled by Lloyd's prove quite conclusively that the great cargo carrier of the world is still the medium-sized tramp steamer which can get in and out of all ports of consequence in the known world and on a draft of from 22 to 25 feet carry from 6,000 to 10,000 tons of cargo. The extent to which vessels of this type predominate over all others has been frequently shown in Lloyd's Register, and, despite the fact that there has been an increase in the number of large ships, the increase in the number of smaller ones is fully as pronounced.

Exercise.

"You consider walking the best exercise?"

"It used to be," answered the physician, "until the necessity of dodging street cars and automobiles made it so violent."—Washington Star.

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English Language in Antwerp.

Nearly one-half of the shipping traffic to and from Antwerp is carried on under the British and American flags, and this has made Antwerp almost an English-speaking port. Free night schools for exclusive classes in English, organized by the city authorities, are attended by thousands of pupils, while special attention is paid to the study of English in all the grades of the day schools, public as well as private. This desire to popularize the English language is not confined to Belgium, but has extended to Germany as well, where schools of instruction have already been established at Munich and Nuremberg by the German government.

Nothing Succeeds Like "EGG-O-SEE."

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A lot of interesting facts about EGG-O-SEE have been published in book form entitled, "Back to Nature." This book also has a course of physical culture—fully illustrated. Anyone wishing this book will receive it free by addressing EGG-O-SEE Company, 10 First St., Quincy, Ill.

Throws Rays Half a Mile.

Light rays half a mile long and 24 times as powerful as the sort commonly in use are the new oxy-petrol lime lights that have been invented for the motorists. The lamp consists of an oxy-petrol blowpipe flame playing on a piece of specially refractory material. A reservoir of material is to be carried on the car and also a cylinder of compressed oxygen. Presumably a stream of oxygen under pressure is saturated with petrol vapor and burnt in the blowpipe and a small, extremely hot flame is produced, this being caused to impinge on something more refractory than lime.

The Erie Railroad has just placed orders for 1,600 new freight cars. From the Standard Steel Car Company, to be built at the Butler, Pa., shops, have been ordered 500 drop end steel-underframe gondola cars of 100,000 pound capacity, weighing 42,600 pounds each, and 45 feet in length. These are for delivery in January, 1907. For delivery in Decemebr next, the Erie has also ordered 500 flat cars, to be built by the same company. These will be 40 feet in length, with steel underframes and a capacity of 100,000 pounds.

At the American Car & Foundry Company's works at Chicago there are building 500 produce cars for delivery in November and December next. These are also steel underframe cars, 36 feet in length, and of 80,000 pounds capacity. At the same company's Detroit works are building for the Erie 100 Hart convertible cars for delivery next January. These are to be of 100,000 pounds capacity, and will weigh 43,000 pounds each. They will be 41 feet 6 inches in length, with wood bodies and steel underframes.

Five new electric cars for the Rochester division have been ordered from the St. Louis Car company for the line to Mt. Morris now being electrically equipped. Four of these are passenger cars and the fifth a combination passenger and baggage car. Each will be equipped with four 75-horsepower Westinghouse motors.

It isn't until a man swears off that he finds out how many fellows want to treat him.

The Old Overland Stage

COACH WHICH CARRIED PEOPLE ACROSS ARIZONA PLAINS.

Eloquent Reminder of Pioneer Days in the West—Was Held Up by Robbers and Indians Nearly 200 Times.

New York.—The accompanying illustration shows an old-time stage coach of the Buffalo Bill variety. It formerly belonged to the Wells-Fargo Overland Stage company, which made wonderful trips across the plans, drawing up in front of the principal hotel of each town stuck full of arrows and bullets from redskins and stage robbers lying in wait along the route. Talk of heroes and those immortals of Balaklava days! They are not in it with the "gents" of the plains, who never showed fear. While being scalped, skinned alive or filled full of

THE OLD STAGE COACH.

holes for their money they would "pass in their chips" with smiles on their faces.

The particular stage in the illustration is one of the old Wells-Fargo vehicles which ran between Phoenix, Maricopa county, and Prescott, Yavapai county, Ariz.

Of all the stages on the southern line, this particular vehicle became distinguished because it had been held up by Arizona stage robbers and Indians 184 times in the course of its 20 years' service. It is a well made, honest stage, that can withstand nearly ten "hold ups" a year for 20 years. It is said that so much Arizona "pizen" was spilled by travelers in the vehicle that the coaches became thoroughly seasoned and nothing short of giant powder could jar them.

Drivers and guards were always armed—armed to the teeth, they called it, with an extra gun or two in each boot and a bowie knife in the belt. Having "round ups" with train robbers was part of the weekly business, and the first thing the "helpers" did while the horses were changing at relay stations was to pull out arrows and dig for bullets and make a note of it to tell the next stage load of tourists and prosepectirs that came that way.

Wells, Fargo & Co. did just as much for the country and civilization in those days as any armed regiment of soldiers. They employed brave men at Cheyenne in the early days. Once in that town, called the wickedest city on earth—and it had 6,000 desperadoes and a thousand or two red-headed women from Australia who could dance 18 hours without fainting—word went around that the worst gang in Wyoming was going to attack the treasure to arrive that night. It was a rich cargo of gold dust and coin that the express company was hurrying across the plains.

The manager wasn't frightened a bit. He put the treasure in a round-house made of timbers, almost air-tight, and pierced with holes on every side, just large enough for a man to sight his gun through. Twenty men, each with a sawed-off gun and several kegs of slugs and powder were piled in on top of the treasure and the men told to shoot everything in sight.

The plaza in front of the hotel was cleared, and about two o'clock next morning the attack opened and the defenders began pumping lead into the invaders. It was a great fight and for a few minutes there was a continuous roar of rifles and shotguns. The air was mixed with fire, slugs and old nails. The boys won a great victory for the express company and it was nearly a week before they began hanging thieves again to the telegraph poles along the principal streets of the town. All the residential thieves had been killed. The Methodist preacher who presided there said he never had so flourishing a congregations and so easy a time as when he saw a new man swinging from a rope every day he went down-town to get his mail.

The old stage coach shown in the picture is an eloquent reminder of those wonderful days of the pony express and stage coach when half the world was "hoofing" it across the plains.

To Help Fight the Oil Trust

Attorney General Moody Selects Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul as Aid in Legal Battle.

St. Paul, Minn.—Frank B. Kellogg, of this city, one of the leading attorneys of the northwest, interested in the steel trust and known as a clever corporation lawyer, has been chosen by Attorney General Moody to assist in the great legal battle which the government has begun against the Standard Oil company.

Mr. Kellogg attracted attention by his splendid work for the government in its fight against the paper combine. He was also associated with Elihu Root in the Harriman-Hill Northern Securities litigation.

Frank B. Kellogg is an orator. Bitterness has small place in him. He can reply sharply to a sharp challenge, but apparently without a particle of malignity.

Mr. Kellogg is a native of New York. He was reared on a farm and attended public schools in Minnesota, to which state his parents had moved.

His rise in his profession began soon after his admission to the bar, when he was made city attorney of Rochester, Minn. Later he became county attorney of Olmstead county and entered the law firm of Davis, Kellogg & Severance, the most prominent in the state. He has also been

FRANK B. KELLOGG.
(Skilled Corporation Attorney Who Will Prosecute Standard Oil Company.)

a member of the Republican national committee.

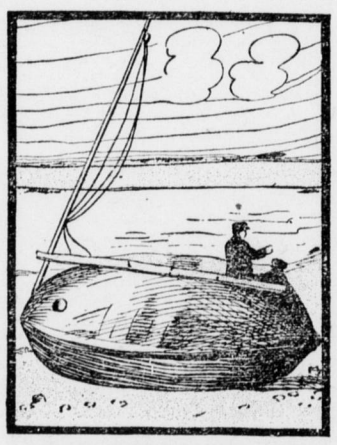
Mr. Kellogg is of slight physique, but of an active disposition. He rides, motors and plays golf.

A New Life-Saving Boat

Unique Craft Invented by Capt. Ole Brude in Which He Recently Crossed the Atlantic.

London.—The strange-looking vessel below is the invention of a Norwegian, Capt. Ole Brude.

He claims that it is a completely reliable life-saving boat, and will come



A UNIQUE LIFE-SAVING BOAT.

safely through the wildest storm. Ready to back up his words by deeds, he took his craft, the Uraad, a 3,000-mile voyage across the Atlantic. With a crew of four men, the little vessel sailed from Aalesund, in Norway, to Gloucester, Mass., and arrived without serious damage after an extremely stormy passage.

The plucky captain undertook the voyage both to demonstrate the usefulness of his boat and to win a prize of £38,000.

The Uraad is only 18 feet long, with an 8-foot beam. She is egg-shaped, and it is owing to her peculiar form that she is able to ride safely over big Atlantic rollers that would swamp an ordinary boat of her size.

Capt. Brude is very proud of his little craft, and has great hopes that his invention will prove of inestimable service to sailors, and minimize loss of life in cases of wreck or collision. He certainly has the courage of his convictions. It is no light undertaking to sail 3,000 miles across the Atlantic in an 18-foot sailing vessel.

Mrs. Chadwick's Painted Flowers.

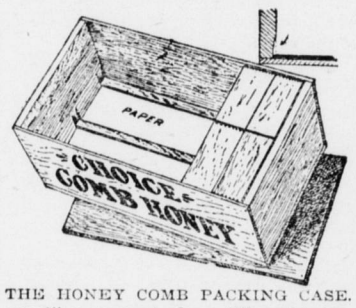
Count Otto Henry, one of the best known criminals in the world, who is now serving a five year sentence in the penitentiary for pocketpicking, is employed selling souvenirs at the counter in front of bankers row in the west hall. He particularly takes care of goods manufactured by Cassie Chadwick. "This is a spoon made by convicts in here and the flowers you see painted in the middle were done by Mrs. Chadwick. The wire handle is made from the wire of the electric chair," explains the old count as he shows you the article.

POULTRY AND BEES

COMB-HONEY SHIPPING CASE

Arrangement by Which the Glass Fronts to the Sections Are Eliminated.

The shipping case here shown was exhibited at the Michigan State Bee-Keepers' association convention at Jackson, and was quite favorably commented on by the members present, says Gleanings in Bee Culture. The freight classification puts honey "in glass" as first class, and that "in



THE HONEY COMB PACKING CASE.

wood" as second class. When this tariff was first printed, some of the roads were inclined to consider that all comb honey in shipping cases with glass front was in glass, and, consequently, the freight rate was pushed up one notch; but after considerable explanation we showed that, evidently, such classification referred to honey in bottles; that comb honey in a shipping case with glass fronts ought to go as second class because the percentage of glass was very small to the amount of wood. All the railroads, I think, now accept shipping cases with glass fronts as second class. But the bee keeper must not make the mistake of having such honey billed "in glass" or else it will go at first class rates.

The Aspinwall case is a very unique one; and if the discrimination against glass fronts had continued the all-wood case with the lettering would have been the solution.

The all-wood case can be made considerably cheaper, and I do not know why it would not be just as good. If the freight handler cannot read he ought to be bounced from the pay-roll. Shipping cases with glass fronts have been broken into, and the fine cakes of honey despoiled by some big fingers, time and time again. The Aspinwall case would prevent anything of this kind.

The arrangement of the no-drip cleats in mortises or slots in the ends of the case is very unique. It could not, however, be very well applied to a glass-front case showing four sections six deep. But where the cases are two-row, like the sample here shown, there will be no trouble about mortising for the cleats.

GATE FOR CHICKEN YARD.

How It Can Be Built So That It Will Not Sag—Are Simple in Construction.

I have in use several gates like that shown in the cut, which do not sag or get out of shape and prove very satisfactory, says a correspondent of the Farm and Home. They are six feet high and three feet wide, made of spruce 1¼ x 3 inches. The ends were sawed square and the pieces b b bufted against the side pieces a a. I use four-inch No. 18 screws which were countersunk 1¼ inch. This was a much quicker way than cutting a mortise and tenon. The gate was well braced with 1¼x2-inch stays which were halved together at the middle. After the frame was made and painted it was covered with poultry netting.

THE POULTRY.

More attention should be given to water fowls.

The poultry yard, as well as the poultry house, needs to be kept clean.

When fowls need a tonic, there are some who put a few drops of tincture of iron into their drinking troughs.

Tobacco stems covered with straw are an excellent preventative of insect breeding, especially when the hens are setting.

Feed the fowls about to be shipped nothing but hard grain the day previous. They will carry better and arrive in a better condition.

So long as good prices can be obtained for broilers it will nearly always be found best to sell at this age, or either to feed to maturity and sell in the fall or winter.

Poultry keeping can be made an auxiliary to other pursuits without infringing upon the time of the keeper and will bring in a handsome return for the food and care given them.

Keeping Down the Mites.

Poultry droppings seem to be the favorite conditions for breeding mites. Coops and houses that are cleaned often are not much troubled with them. But it is a good plan not to depend too much upon anything. Careful examination needs to be made frequently, so as to be sure that they are not getting a start.

WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. For some years she taught school, and became known as a woman of an alert

and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham, a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter.

In those good old fashioned days it was common for mothers to make their own home medicines from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies—calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and experience many of them gained a wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvest-fields and orchards vegetable foods of all kinds; so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medicines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham's friends and neighbors learned that her compound relieved and cured and it became quite popular among them.

All this so far was done freely, without money and without price, as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property swept away. Some other source of income had to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world.

The three sons and the daughter, with their mother, combined forces to restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.

The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until to-day Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tons of roots and herbs are used annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—and there were thousands—received careful study, and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With women assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

Such is the history of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; made from simple roots and herbs; the one great medicine for women's ailments, and the fitting monument to the noble woman whose name it bears.

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Latest County Correspondence.

FROM OUR REPORTERS.

CAMERON.

Robt. Graham, proprietor of the Valley House, received his license Friday.

A. A. Smith spent Sunday with his family at Lock Haven. Mr. Smith has charge of the new interlocking work at the new tower.

Mrs. Lawson of Beechwood, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Robinson.

Mina Reed returned to Emporium Monday, after spending Sunday.

A. F. Walker was a business caller at Emporium one day last week.

The dance to be held last Friday night was postponed on account of the bad roads and rain.

E. F. Comley accepted a position with the Canoe Run Mining Co., Monday.

The new interlocking tower here will be ready for service in about two weeks.

One of the Italian trackmen was slightly injured with the hand car Monday.

The many friends of Mrs. Maggie Farrel, will be glad to learn she is improving in health very fast and it is expected she will soon be out again.

J. E. Lester came home last Saturday for a few days. He has been at work in the woods the past two months.

Miss Edwards, primary school teacher here for this term arrived Monday night.

M. T. Cummings of Renovo, was in town Saturday looking over some lumber he has here, which he will ship to that place.

John Schwab is preparing to move into th Barrows house, lately vacated by Robt. Graham.

Miss Susie Killeen left on Erie mail Tuesday for Niagara Falls.

J. F. S.

RICH VALLEY.

Garnie Housler accepted a position on Howard Co's steam loader.

Hattie Carter of Gardeau, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Dow over Sunday.

Jas. Dulling was on our streets Sunday, for the first time in many moons.

Percy Dulling is assistant gardener at Lawn View.

Miss Daisy Lewis returned from a visit to Hicks Run Saturday.

N. S. Cutler was haying for Miss Sarah V. Lanning Monday.

Vere Dow and Floyd Barton, accompanied by the Misses Moon were on our streets Sunday. They also attended church in the evening.

Malcom Lewis is at Elk Fork this week, cutting wood for the school house at that point.

M. A. P.

"Make Hay While the Sun Shines."

There is a lesson in the work of the thrifty farmer. He knows that the bright sunshine may last but a day when he prepares for the showers which are so liable to follow. So it should be with every household. Dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is the best known medicine for three diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary, and delay may prove fatal. For sale by L. Taggart; J. E. Smith, Sterling Run; Crum Bros., Sinnamahoning.

You will never make a mistake by talking to a man about himself.

Prof. Tyler, of Amherst college, said recenty: A man can live comfortably without brains no man ever existed without a digestive system. The dyspeptic has neither faith, hope or charity." Day by day people realize the importance of caring for their digestion; realize the need of the use of a little corrective after overeating. A corrective like Kodol for Dyspepsia. It digests what you eat. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

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MEDIX RUN.

Pistner Bros. have their new house completed.

Since the hotel has been given a coat of paint its looks have been greatly improved.

Edward Russell of Mason Hill, was a visitor at this place Sunday.

Grace Hicks of Hix Run, visited her sister here last Wednesday.

The infant son of Harry Whiting is very sick at this writing.

Isaac Bresnee and family wer Weedville visitors Sunday.

Tessie Barr of Hicks Run, was in town one day last week.

Wm. Cupp and wife are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Ray Miller of Millers, is at this place where he intenks to help Claude Williams do his haying.

Roy Russell is visiting his grand parents on Mason Hill.

Lizzie McKeter of Tyler, was visiting Mrs. Ike Frantz over Sunday.

John Barr of Hicks Run, was seen on our streets one day last week.

M. J. Pauley of Weedville, was the guest of his sister Saturday.

Mrs. James Ross and daughter Jennie were shoppeng in DuBois Saturday.

B ert Russell was a Millers Run visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Derm Wilber, who had an operation some time ago is improving.

Virginia Ore, was a Weedville caller Saturday.

Mr. Apker of Boons Mountain is visiting Thos. DeLong this week.

George Pistner and wife spent Sunday at Benezette at the home of Jake Spangler and wife.

A fine supper was served at the home of John Kraus, Saturday evening for the benefit of the young peoples society.

A new clerk came to the home of Wm. Pistner Monday afternoon. Wm. has a pleasant smile for everybody.

Mrs. Whitcomb was a DuBois visitor Friday.

Mrs. Munn, a lady residing seven or eight miles from this place, on the mountain, died Friday. We understand she fell and sustained injuries from which caused her death.

A new doctor came to town in place of Dr. Love, who is leaving. Have not learned where he intends to locate.

X. X.

FIRST FORK.

The principal industry of this place, Currier's mill was totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday night about 11 o'clock. B. & S. engines blew the fire alarm, but the apparatus for fighting fire was very limited and nothing could be done to save it. The mill had been shut down since 11 o'clock a. m. This is the second time a mill has burned on this sight. Whether the mill will be rebuilt is doubtful, though there are a good many logs in the woods yet, that were to have been sawed here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Williams are entertaining Mrs. A. E. Woodard and daughter Nina of Salamanca, N. Y.

H. W. Martindale was around here a few days last week. We understand he has sold his hotel at Youngstown, Ohio.

The loss of sawed lumber at the fire at Currier's mill was small, as the bucket brigade paid attention to saving that.

Joseph Gorman of Johnsonburg was looking after his property here one day last week.

Blackberries plenty but huckleberries nit.

J. W. Philips returned to his home at Austin Saturday evening after visiting friends here a few days.

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NORTH CREEK.

Beatrice Barr returned Saturday from a visit in Potter county. Her cousins the Misses Edwards accompanied her.

Agnes Taylor was the guest of Mildred Faucett Friday.

Beatrice Taylor is spending a few days with her grand parents.

Mrs. John Smith is confined to her bed.

Walter Brundage and Clendon Moore are very ill at present.

N. A. Ostrum and Wm. Hughes transacted business at Chas. Barr's Saturday.

Mesdames Coole and Brundage visited the city on Monday.

Llewella Moore did shopping in town the first of the week.

Elihu Chadwick called on North Creek people Friday and Saturday.

John Kelley is hustling his haying.

Henry Smith was guest of Thomas Britton, Wednesday.

The Misses Moon entertained a small company of children on Wednesday. All report a good time.

Chas. Wiley was in our valley the first of the week.

Lewis Yates is suffering with hay fever.

X. Y. Z.

You can get all kinds of good cedar shingles at C. B. Howard & Co..

STERLING RUN.

Lyle Berry of Emporium, spent Sunday in town.

F. J. Confer spent Sunday with his parents at Shintown.

John Kissel and Charles Bunce spent Sunday evening in Emporium. What is the attraction?

P. E. Trump has returned from Pittsburg.

T. M. Lewis and Jas. Strawbridge were Cameron visitors Sunday.

P. J. Robinson and son Frank attended the base ball game at Driftwood first of the week.

John Devling is visiting his parents in town.

Grant Hart and Clarence Howlett spent Sunday at Hicks Run.

The Sterling Run athletic club held a smoker Saturday evening, which was a grand success. Among the out of town patrons were: Wm. and Leroy Carter and the worthy correspondent from Rich Valley. The Huntley male quartet attended in a body with the exception of brother Krape, who sent a message of regret and explained his absence was due to that 10 pound boy taking up all of his time. His excuse was accepted as several of the parties in attendance had been through a like experience. W. R. Smith sang a patriotic song as a curtain raiser; then Everett Barr danced a two-step, followed by Steven Bunce. The main attraction of the evening was a three round exhibition between Samuel Barr and Grant Hari, both of Sterling Run. Each man was trained to the minute and started mixing things from the sound of the gong. It has been a long time since the sports of this county witnessed such a fast bout. There was some clinching in the brake away but no damage was done aside from Mr. Barr getting his eyes blackened and Hart lost two suspender buttons. Referee P. J. Robinson called the contest a draw, which was a very popular dicision. Barr then issued a challenge to any man on the Pennsy lines east of Pittsburg at catch weights. He is sertainly a comer and should receive every encouragement. Special trainer Jas. Strawbridge deserves great credit for fitting the men in such fine shape. Sammy Barr sang the audience the following little song which was greet-with a storm of applause:

I'm Sammy Barr from Sterling Run,
How do you like my style;
And when it comes to boxing,
I can beet them all a mile;
I've boxed with Fitz and Corbett too,
I always take my part;
But nothing gives me greater joy,
Than warming up Grant Hart.

In upper cuts I am the goods,
I use the pivot blow;
My left hands swings the claret brings,
My right knows where to go,
So when you want a good fast bout,
You need not travel far;
Just take the train for Sterling Run
And call on Sammy Barr.

Well, talk of the immortal John L., he wasn't in it with the cheering and encoring that Sammy got after the song. Trainer Strawbridge then treated the audience to elderberry wine and the party adjourned.

J. F. S.

BEECHWOOD.

Peter Ferguson and son of Emporium, enjoyed a pleasant drive to our city Sunday. Pete has one of the finest driving horses we have seen in a long time.

Merion Toner of St. Marys, one of Kaul and Hall's best mill men spent Sunday at the Morrison homestead, the guest of his wife and daughters.

Allan and Oscar Hopkins, who are employed at Rathbun, visited their home here Saturday evening.

Robt. McMannus and sons have been hauling stone, preparatory to putting in a stone culvert and thereby do away with the small wooden bridge just below Beechwood. That is the proper way to repair such places and if the plan is followed up our roads will soon be the best in this part of the state.

Jake Herbstreet of St. Marys is at home confined to his house by sickness. His many friends hope that he may soon recover.

C. C. Skillman and wife of More Hill, visited Geo. W. Leavitt and family Saturday.

Al. Wagner, our efficient station agent, transacted business in Emporium Friday.

Jack Cleary, our hustling wood jobber, made a business trip to Clermont last week. He stopped off at St. Marys but didn't stay long as he says "the Irish and Dutch don't agree."

Mrs. J. H. Reed was an Emporium visitor Friday.

Wm. McDonald is cutting the hay on the Seeley farm at Rathbun.

Rev. Brown, a noted evangelirt and Sunday school worker, preached an elegant sermon at Truman Sunday. Mr. Brown has many friends around here and they were more than pleased to meet him again.

Miss Heath of St. Marys, daughter of Mr. Dave Heath, a former Beechwood resident, visited friends in town and attended church services Sunday. We found her to be a very pleasant and interesting young lady.

It is with much pleasure that we announce the marriage of Miss Anna Cook, one of our most highly esteemed young ladies, to Mr. Charles Burkland of Howard. Rev. Cleaver of Emporium, performed the ceremony, July 31st. Miss Cook was one of our most popular young ladies, honored and respected by all who know her. Mr. Burkland is one of the Pennsy R. R. Co's bridge builders and one of their most trusted men. We predict for them a bright future and join their many friends in wishing them supreme happiness and many blessings.

Berry pickers are very plentitul here at present. There seems to be just swarms of them. We rather think there are more pickers than berries.

Josiah Allen.

HUNTLEY.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson is on the sick list.

Irene Cole is very ill.

Thomas Nickerson and family, of Emporium, are the guests of Mr and Mrs. John Jordan.

Miss Helen Jordan has returned from a two months visit at Sinnamahoning.

Misses Nellie Grace and Florence Logue, of the East Side, spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Sullivan.

John Jordan was a Driftwood caller Monday.

C. J. Miller is ill with stomach trouble.

Ray Jordan, of Mason Hill, was a business caller in town Monday.

W. W. Johnson and Levi Smith were Driftwood callers Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Smith and Misses Nettie and Andrew Hill spent Sunday with friends in Sinnamohoning.

Mrs. John Mack and Frank Sullivan, of Cameron, were guests of Mrs. Henry Layton, the latter part of last week.

We are glad to learn that Lloyd Logue, who had his leg cut off at Rathbun a short time ago, is improving as rapidly as can be expected. He is at Ridgway Hospital.

Ralph Goodal, of Driftwood, has just received copies of his latest song from his New York publishers. The song is a success and the words and music are arranged to please even the most fastidious critics. His many friends extend him sincere congratulations.

W. H. Logue still has a fine stock of boneless codfish and York state cream cheese on hand Store open a 6 a. m. phone 996.

B. J. Collins and his men and teams finished hauling his logs fram Big Run into the Creek Saturday. All that is needed now is a good flood to move them to the mill

John Carson picked 75 quarts of blackberries on Saturday. Some were over two inches long. Jebb Lynch, o Sterling Run, says they beat anything he ever saw in the berry line.

W. R Smith is soliciting subscriptions for the new Wesleyan Methodist Church at Castle Garden. Nearly four hundred dollars has been already subscribed.

Thieves stole all of Mrs. A. F. Nelson's butter Friday night and also paid a visit to the spring house of J. F. Carson, taking a supply of butter and milk from there also.

Mrs. George Collins was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening with acute heart disease. Doctors Corbett and Beale were called and relieved her suffering. She is somewhat better at this writing.

Mrs. Phinn Mason, of Tunnel Hill, while leading her cow to the pasture last Friday morning, was knocked down by the animal and rendered unconscious. Dr. Beale, of Drifwood, was called and she is improving under his treatment.

J. F. S.

SINNAMAHONING.

All is quiet along the Sinnamahoning to-night—the merry-go-round has left.

The B. S. & S. R. R. Co., are repairing the crossing at the red bridge this week. It was much needed.

G. B. Barclay was at Williamsport Tuesday.

Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Barclay are making a tour of the eastern states in their auto.

Geo. P. Shafer has leased the flat of the B. & S. R. R. for pasture purposes.

Dick Crum's ducks got badly fooled picking up the dead fish along Grve Run. They won't pick up any more.

Warren J. Mead and family came home from Punxsutawney Tuesday.

G. P. Shafer visited the county seat Monday.

Eugene H. Baird, of Ridgway, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. V. Hanscomb, of Lock Haven, is visiting friends here this week.

The Powder Co., turned out 3,000 pounds of dynamite Tuesday for the first.

O. L. Bailey has purchased the balance of the Shafer farm from the B. & S. R. R. Co.

The Sinnamahoning Powder Co., have a crew of workmen putting up dwellings on College avenue.

J. F. Wolf was over to Karthaus last week, purchasing hogs and cattle for fall trade.

Several of our town boys took in the ball game at Driftwood Monday.

V. A. Brooks killed two large rattlers in the woods last week.

Some boys who were in Jerry Run picking berries Monday, shot into the school house while school was in session. Be careful boys or you will find yourselves in the lock-up

When the first dose of acid was run into Grove Run last week, it made all the trout and other fish turn up their dead bodies along the shore, but the fish warden could not see them. He was looking after the lone fisherman. Another home for the speckled beauties gone. Soon there will not be any streams for trout to live in.

Debse.

NORTH CREEK.

Miss Bee Barr has been entertaining her cousin Miss Edwards this week.

Mrs. Llewella Moore is on the sick list.

Burt Chandler of Potato Creek passed through here Monday.

Agnes Taylor called on Mrs. S. M. Housler Monday.

Bee Taylor came up from Renovo to visit relatives.

Chas Brewer of Smethport is visiting at this place.

John Kelly, Henry Smith, Claud Swartwood and Ernest Rivers were seen on our streets recently.

May Moon called on Mrs. Chandler Friday.

M. E. Taylor wears a broad smile. Its a girl.

Willis McClenahan, Walter Smith, Henry Carter and Will Smith were in Emporinm Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Cool went home to see her father Frank Moon, on Tuesday, Mr. Moon is very sick at this writing, paralysis is the cause and little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

F. A. Lewis, Fred Solveson and Warren Moore are haying this week for S. M. Housler and Mrs. Llewella Moore. Beautiful hay weather, boys.

Geo. Barr and family enjoyed the day by taking a drive Sunday; as did several other of our towns-people.

Mrs. A. O. Swartwood visited her daughter, Mrs. McClennahan recently.

[Please get your communication in a little earlier—Tuesday evening if possible.]

Samanthy Allen.

STERLING RUN.

Last Saturday evening Miss Lulu Lewis, assistant postmaster; while standing in front of the office was fired at by some one on Smith's corner about forty feei away, The ball came within one foot of her head. There were two 16 year old boys standing on the corner at the time. This matter of boys carrying revolvers should be stopped. There are seven or eight carrying them in this place.

D. W. Eastman of Coudersport, is making things lively in the lumber and bark business.

Sam Barr and Grant Hart, while trying to present each other with a pair of spectacles last Saturday evening, Sam'l got a good fit—Grants would not work.

On Monday night the house formerly used by C. G. Minick at the old tannery was burned by some unknown party.

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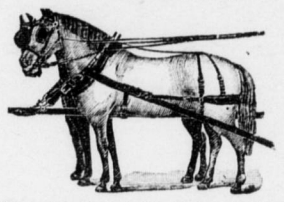

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TO LUELLA S. FAY LEE, of Akron, Ohio.

WHEREAS, Cassius M. Lee, your husband, has filed a libel in the court of Common Pleas of Cameron county, of October term, 1906, to show cause if any you have, why your husband, Cassius M Lee, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which he hath contracted with you, the said Luella S. Fay Lee, agreeably to the petition and libel exhibited against you before our said court; and this you shall in no wise omit at your peril.

JOHN D. SWOPE,
Sheriff of Cameron County.

Dated, July 26th 1906.—21-4t.

Administratrix Notice.

Estate of JOSEPH P. CRIST, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Joseph P. Crist, late of Emporium, Cameron county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned to whom claims against said estate must be presented, duly authenticated; also all persons indebted to said estate must make settlement.

MARY E. LYONS,
Administratrix

May 28th, 1906.—24-4t

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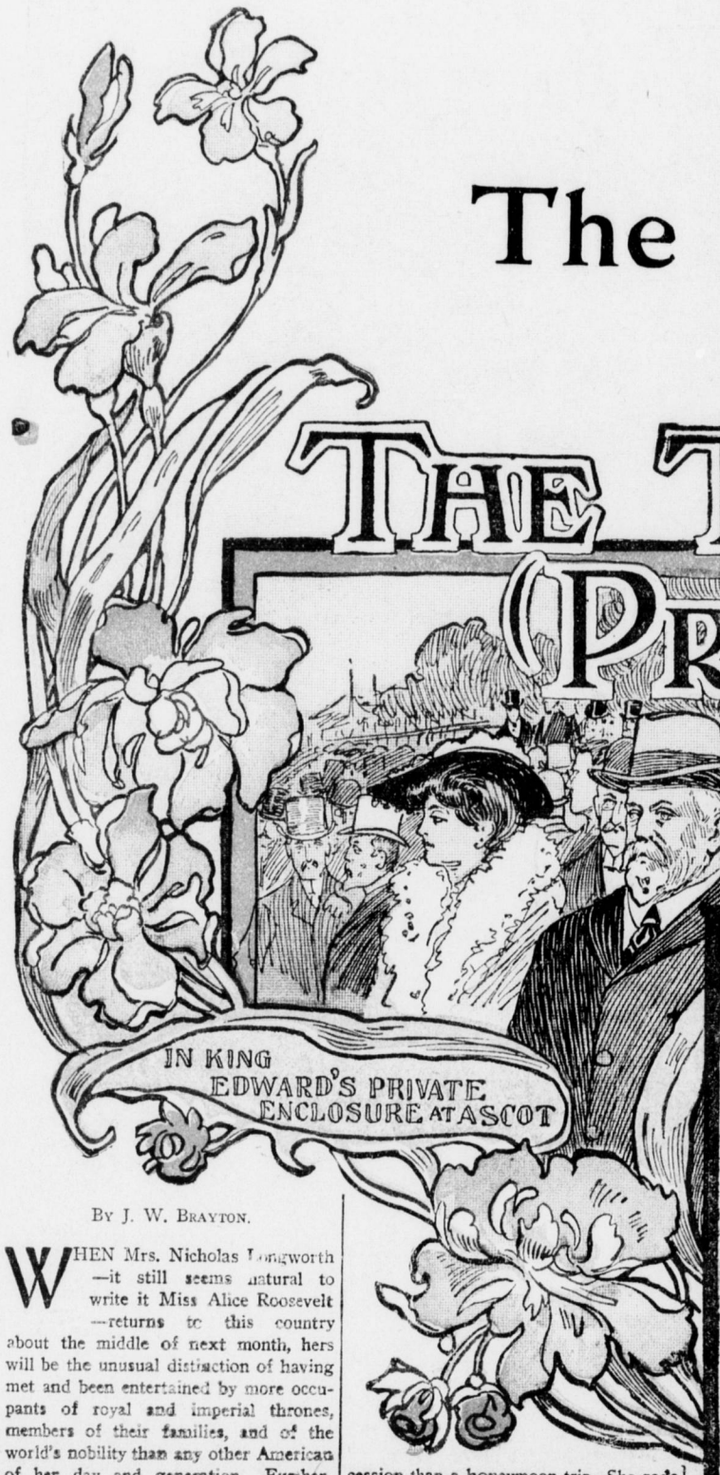

IN KING EDWARD'S PRIVATE ENCLOSURE AT ASCOT

MRS. NICHOLAS LONGWORTH (MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT)

THE GERMAN EMPEROR POINTING OUT HIS YACHT THE ALICE ROOSEVELT

ALIGHTING FROM A TRAIN AT PEKING

By J. W. Brayton.

WHEN Mrs. Nicholas Longworth—it still seems natural to write it Miss Alice Roosevelt—returns to this country about the middle of next month, hers will be the unusual distinction of having met and been entertained by more occupants of royal and imperial thrones, members of their families, and of the world's nobility than any other American of her day and generation. Furthermore, she is the only daughter of a President who [illegible] during her father's term.

As a delicate compliment to her—she was then Miss Roosevelt—our own Sultan of Sulu, on meeting her, offered the President's daughter his hand in marriage, and loaded her with quaint Oriental baubles from his treasure supply.

That old ogre of the yellow East—the Dowager Empress of Tsi-An—would have it no other way than that Miss Roosevelt should pass a night or two under the roof of the Imperial Palace. When she returned to her home in Washington, Miss Roosevelt confided to her friends that one of the most enjoyable incidents in the trip to the Philippines and back was her visit and friendly chat with the Great Old Woman of the Yellow Millions.

Of course, while at the Court of Pekin, lesser members of the Imperial Family were made known to her.

In Japan princes imperial and princesses imperial vied with one another to give hearty welcome to the young lady, and, as a climax to the sojourn in Tokio, there was an audience with the grave Mikado and his doll-like consort.

Three years before she sailed for the Philippines Miss Roosevelt, with the genial Prince Henry of Prussia standing by her side, christened the American-built yacht of the German War Lord. Now, Miss Alice Roosevelt no longer, but Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, she has talked, within the last few weeks, with His Royal Highness Edward VII, King of Great Britain and Ireland, Emperor of India, etc.; Kaiser William II, and various members of his family, and the leading nobility of both England and Germany, to say nothing of French men and women and others with noble and princely handles to their names. And President Fallieres, of France; renowned statesmen, diplomats, generals, admirals, indeed, most of the men big in the governing of Great Britain, France and Germany—with all these she has exchanged greetings, and from all received the attentions that Europe generally reserves for persons of princely rank. Of course, no sane-minded American has objected to this; he has been secretly amused and proud in turn, and by it all once more learned that even enlightened European minds are incapable of grasping the principles of his democratic form of government. "Princess Alice," indeed! In truth, just plain Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Washington, and most lovable and likeable as such!

HONEYMOONING EXTRAORDINARY.

Looking back on it, Mrs. Longworth's tour in the old world has partaken more of the characteristics of a triumphal procession than a honeymoon trip. She rode from Plymouth to the British capital in the royal carriage. At the dinner given in her honor by Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, King Edward set all precedent aside and paid Mrs. Longworth the delicate compliment of requesting that she be seated at the table in the place of honor—that is, at his left. Thus it came about that one whose only title is that of plain, everyday Mrs., took rank over the whole of Britain's proud nobility. When the dinner was over, and the ladies [illegible], it was King Edward himself who accompanied Mrs. Longworth to the door, and as she passed through it bowed in the most courtly fashion.

During Ascot week, the King took particular pains to honor the Longworths further, inviting them into the royal enclosure and having them as his guests of honor at luncheon in the King's pavilion. It is a coveted honor to be invited into the enclosure, and to be asked to take luncheon with the King in his pavilion would serve to put a few members of England's nobility in the seventh heaven.

How did Mrs. Longworth take these honors? Like a true American, as was to be expected. The English newspaper writers noted, with evident mild wonder, that she was thoroughly at ease, unabashed, and absolutely democratic in the presence of their August monarch and the proudest of his nobles. They recorded that when she courtesied to the King on being introduced, she did so without the least suggestion of servility; and the ease with which she entered into the conversation with His Majesty as soon as they were seated at table is still food for thought in Merrie England, which holds more than one noble of ancient lineage who shows the embarrassment of servility when it chances that it is "up to him" to speak with his king.

London was undeniably favorably impressed with its young and charming guest.

In the same wholesome democratic spirit Mrs. Longworth was presented to and paid a visit to the Kaiser at his very earnest solicitation. This was at Kiel, while the regatta, which lies close to the War Lord's heart, was at its height. One of the first things that Mrs. Longworth did after the presentation was to thank the Kaiser personally for the gold bracelet set with diamonds and his portrait which he had presented to her through his brother, Prince Henry, at the time the yacht Meteor was launched.

For five days the Longworths were guests of the Kaiser, talking with him daily. He pointed out to Mrs. Longworth the yacht that he had named "Alice Roosevelt," sometime after the christening of the Meteor. When Miss Alice Roosevelt sent a cablegram to the Kaiser thanking him for the bracelet and portrait, a certain influential London newspaper criticized her for not framing the despatch in terms of servility. It goes without saying that during the whole of her stay at Kiel she displayed none other than the unaffected democratic spirit that is inborn in every representative American man and woman.

With certain things known, it is pretty safe to state that of all the great folk with whom she became acquainted in Europe, Mrs. Longworth enjoyed meeting and talking with the Kaiser the most.

The first person of royal or imperial blood that she ever met was Prince Henry of Prussia. The Kaiser had paid her the high compliment of asking her to break the bottle of champagne on the bow of his American built yacht. To show his appreciation of her acquiescence and sturdy performance of the deed, he presented her with a costly bauble. Since her father became President, she has heard him and the Kaiser compared times without number. The Kaiser had named a yacht in her honor. Rumor once had it that the Kaiser and Kaiserin, looking over the list of eligible princesses and finding none suitable as wife for the Crown Prince, were keen to marry their son to the eldest daughter of the President of the United States. Of course, it was said, the Kaiser would see to it that some friendly ruler conferred a title upon Miss Roosevelt.

So what more natural than for Mrs. Longworth to enjoy her visit with the Kaiser, even more than her meeting with King Edward at Ambassador Reid's, where she made His Majesty laugh heartily over a recital of her attempts to outwit pursuing kodak fiends?

Before the Longworths left England for the Continent and after their return there from the Kiel regatta, they were entertained at a number of fashionable English country houses, and in and out of London there were small dinners and some dances in their honor. American women who have married into British nobility and high society were among the hostesses. Every moment that they were in old England, the Longworths were being entertained, and the list of Lords and Ladies, Dukes and Duchesses, Earls and Countesses, Sirs and what not in the title line that they met—is it not to be found in toto in that right tight little island's social blue book?

HER YANKEE DAY ABROAD.

But there was one day at least that Mrs. Longworth and her husband spent exclusively with fellow Americans. That was America's natal day. And how the celebrating Yankees cheered the daughter of the President, and with what patriotic enthusiasm did she salute the Stars and Stripes and applaud the healthy Yankee sentiments of the speakers! The royal dinner given by Ambassador Reid was a truly gorgeous affair, and cost him, the gossips say, his ambassadorial salary for a year. But which was more to the inward satisfaction of Mrs. Nicholas Longworth—this feast spread for her and a crowned head, or the far simpler affair at which the birth of her native land was fittingly celebrated?

The reason for the Longworths' visit

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to Europe at this time really reaches back to the days when sudden illness put a stop to all preparations for an elaborate coronation of King Edward. When Whitelaw Reid was named as America's representative at this ceremony, his daughter, Miss Jean Reid, a school days chum of Miss Alice Roosevelt, asked the latter to be her guest during the coronation festivities. Miss Alice was very much for accepting the invitation, but her father decreed otherwise.

Later on, when Mr. Roosevelt was elected to the Presidency, he appointed Mr. Reid Ambassador to the Court of St. James. Then Miss Reid wrote another informal invitation to her friend Miss Roosevelt, this time asking the latter to spend the gay season with her in the British capital.

That was early last year, but not until just before the opening of the present London season were the Reids, what with renting a suitable residence and fitting it out, and so forth, in a position to entertain as an Ambassador of this country should. Thus it came about that the Longworths' trip to Europe was taken partly to satisfy Mrs. Longworth's strong desire to see her girlhood chum and to finish out a honeymon trip that was necessarily interrupted a week or two after the wedding by the pressing Congressional duties of the happy husband.

Mrs. Longworth's experiences in Europe have been extraordinarily varied and interesting for an American, but it is doubtful whether any incident of the trip has been half so amusing as one in which she figured while with the Taft party in Japan. It has come to light through an American recently from Tokio. Let him tell the story in his own way:

"It was on the night that the Secretary and the President's daughter left Tokio for Kobe by special train, after having had a remarkable farewell demonstration at Shimbashi station. At two o'clock in the morning their train stopped at Shidzuok, a little town under the shoulder of Mount Fuji. Fully 500 Japanese, with lanterns and a brass band, were at the station. They woke up the distinguished passengers and clamored so lustily that Mr. Taft and Miss Roosevelt had to appear on the rear platform, wearing the gaudy kimonos that had been presented to them in Tokio. Then the Mayor of Shidzuok, in behalf of the town, presented the Secretary of War with a bamboo bird cage, cunningly wrought. To Miss Roosevelt he gave a block in which had been frozen a bunch of rosebuds."

By the way, what of Mr. Nicholas Longworth abroad? Truth to tell, what we know is soon put down: He looked bored when ushered into the royal carriage at Plymouth; he wore knee breeches when presented to King Edward; he was also present at Ambassador Reid's dinner; he "lared" it at the English country houses. You see, even though he is the husband of the President's daughter, he is, nevertheless, just a mere Man!

Not to be Outdone.

An old English gentleman, a school teacher, who resided in one of the small towns of Ohio, was an agreeable teller of stories, but deemed it beyond his reputation as a raconteur to tell one that did not surpass any that had preceded it.

A farmer having come to the village remarked in the presence of his friends that he had been ploughing all the week with four horses, breaking up new ground, and dwelt upon it as being a very big thing.

"Pshaw!" said the old Englishman, "that's nothing. I have seen in England fifty yoke of oxen hitched to one plough."

The remark seemed to occasion general surprise.

"And," continued he, "the funniest part of the whole thing was that while the plough was on the top of the hill the leading yoke of oxen was on the top of another hill, and the forty-nine between the plough and the leaders were suspended between the two hills. And there was another matter connected with it rather strange. In the course of the day the ploughman, becoming rather careless about driving his team, ran into and split a big oak stump. The plough passed safely through the split, but before the ploughman got entirely through it closed up and caught him by the coat-tail."

"Did it tear his coat?" asked a person of inquiring turn.

"Not a bit of it," replied our veracious narrator, "he hung on to the plough handles and pulled out the stump."

With the Children.

Nathan's teacher believed in reducing poetry to diagram and visible outline Therefore, according to the Boston *Herald*, she told the class to make a rough illustration of the poem, "The Old Oaken Bucket."

Nathan's illustration consisted of a large circle, three buckets and a bunch of dots.

"Nathan," said the teacher, "I don't understand this. What's the circle?"

"That's the well," replied Nathan.

"And why have you three buckets?"

"One is 'the old oaken bucket,' one is 'the ironbound bucket,' and the other is 'the moss-covered bucket which hung in the well.'"

"And what are those little dots?"

"Those are 'the loved spots which my infancy knew.'"—Cleveland *Plaindealer*.

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GOOD AMERICAN BUSINESS.

Gold dust of the value of $1,500,000, representing only part of the winter cleanup at Tanana, Alaska, was sent this month to the assay office. Prospectors, miners and supplies (American goods) are pouring into the territory. Settlers are also homesteading. All these will both produce and want.

The port of San Pedro, Los Angeles, is shipping American goods to the Orient, and receiving Oriental goods for use in this country. The steamship Bessie Dollar, 10,000, left Moji, Japan, on May 22 for San Pedro, with passengers and 6,500 tons of cargo. On the same day the steamship Hazel Dollar left San Francisco heavily laden for the Orient, and on arrival will load a cargo for San Pedro. These ships belong to the Dollar Steamship Company, and these sailings begin a new service. The shipping freight agent says: "The rail facilities of Los Angeles are superior to those of other coast cities, and the harbor of San Pedro, Los Angeles, is not excelled." The port will probably also be the southern terminus of the steamships Buckman and Watson. It is already doing a Pacific Mexican business.

Ten years ago the United States was selling British Australasia $9,000,000 a year, and buying $4,000,000 a year. Now the figures are $26,000,000 and $12,000,000 respectively. We sell the antipodes iron and steel manufactures, oil, tobacco (mostly plug), paper manufactures, boots and shoes, farming implements chiefly. We buy just what we need—namely, raw wool, gums, hides, furs, block tin, and other crude material.

The Alaska Club of Seattle, a good authority, says that the gold receipts from the territory in 1906 will reach $24,000,000, an excess of $8,000,000 over 1905. Considering that we paid only $7,200,000 for the territory, and that it has paid its way since, that gold return in a single year of nearly three and one half times the original cost is remarkably profitable American business, to say nothing of the many millions we have received in former years in gold, fish and furs. The probable profits for the future are beyond estimation.

Week ended May 26, flour shipments by rail from Chicago increased 28,666 barrels over the same week of last year; grain shipments increased 834,000 bushels, and provisions increased 2,920 tons.

The same week lake shipments of grain were 1,372,000 bushels, an increase of 437,000 bushels over the prior week and 21,000 bushels more than the same week of last year. The flour increase over last year was 916 barrels of a total shipment of 19,931 barrels.

American commerce on the Great Lakes makes a new record for the four months ended April 30 last, as well as for the single month of April. For the month it amounted to 5,418,481 net tons, a gain over April, 1905, of 1,275,042 net tons, according to the Bureau of Statistics. For the four months the gain was 1,592,656 net tons. The classification of the four months' shipments, with the increases over the same months of 1905, is as follows:

1906. Four Months. Net-Tons.	Increase. Net Tons.
Coal 1,793,916	759,415
Ore and other minerals 1,915,080	409,931
Grain and flaxseed. 583,039	254,731
Lumber 360,164	77,058
Flour 149,975	40,208
Unclassified freight 617,742	63,798

A very few years ago the increases alone would have been considered a remarkably good four months' work. Records of the traffic through the Sault Ste. Marie Canal show two-thirds going east and one third going west. Domestic freight to the extent of 3,495,729 tons passed through the Detroit river in April. About fifty per cent of the Great Lakes traffic, in tons, was made up of coal, iron and copper, perhaps the most important of our industrial "standbys." Those shipments mean busy factories and many more well filled pay envelopes, which means busy butchers, bakers, grocers, clothiers, savings banks, real estate men, and all other lines of activity.

In the five years, 1900-1905, the leading industries of Maryland increased as follows:

	1905.	Increase over 1900.
Number of factories	3,825	25
Capital invested.	$201,877,906	$53,017,197
Wage earners, average	63,492	1,136
Yearly wages...	$ 36,144,244	$ 4,014,048
Yearly product..	$243,575,906	$32,580,372

The percentages of increase were: Capital, 35.6 per cent; wage earners, 1.2 per cent; wages, 12.5 per cent, and product, 15.5 per cent. Many men took the places of a greater number of women in factories, hence the large wage increase compared with the increase in wage earners. The largest capital increase was in tinware, cooper smithing and sheet iron working, $12,000,000. The largest number of new factories, 112, was in canning and preserving. In other lines many small factories were combined and some went out of business or moved away, presumably, to centers of industry in their lines in other States. That follows the specializing in industrial locations, which is going on all over the country, and the general result is beneficial.

In the fiscal year 1905 exports through our Atlantic ports increased over 1904 by $20,000,000; through our Pacific ports, $38,000,000, and through our northern border and lake ports, $19,000,000. The Pacific ports' increase is particularly gratifying. In the ten months ended April 30, 1906, exports through our Atlantic ports increased over the same months of 1905 by $129,000,000; through our Gulf ports, $57,000,000, through our Mexican border ports, $7,000,000; through our Pacific ports, $8,500,000, and through our northern border and lake ports, $19,500,000. These figures show how much larger and how much better distributed as to shipping points and, resultantly, as to points of destination, nature of goods and volumes of value, is our 1906 fiscal year export business than that of 1905. In that year we had decreases from 1904 in our exports through our Gulf ports and our Mexican border ports, but there is a large increase at each outlet this fiscal year. In imports the ten months, 1906, increases were: Through Atlantic ports, $67,000,000; through Gulf ports, $4,000,000; through Mexican border ports, $2,000,000; through Pacific ports, $3,000,000, and through northern border and lake ports, $5,000,000.

The last two paragraphs show that this year it is utterly impossible to find a weak spot in our foreign commerce in point of export or import, or as to volume, save only that if we had an ocean-going merchant marine of our own worthy the name we could do a very much larger volume of business. In other words, we are providing ports, business and nearly $200,000,000 a year freight money for the benefit of foreign rather than American ships. From our standpoint there is not a more senseless proposition in force on earth than that Great Britain, Germany, France, Japan, and even little Norway must be laughing at us as they fill their ships with American goods and their pockets with American dollars.

Note for the ten months, $1,162,000,000 worth of our exports carried in foreign steamships and only $119,000,000 worth in American steamships; also $29,000,000 worth in foreign sailing ships, and only $7,500,000 in American sailing ships.

Think of the good American business in and behind our total domestic exports, $1,466,000,000 in the ten months ended April 30, 1906, with the following classification and increases:

Agricultural.... products $854,000,000		$151,000,000
Manufactures .	495,000,000	50,000,000
Forest products	60,000,000	10,000,000
Mine products.	43,000,000	3,000,000
Fisheries products	7,000,000	1,000,000
Miscellaneous .	7,000,000	1,000,000

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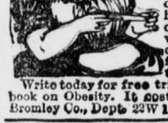

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One of the old citizens of the place known to everybody was Mr. Andrew Andruss. He was not particularly old in years, but he was old in virtue. He possessed all the requisite qualities of a genteel old maid. He was vigorous, however, and, naturally, he was a crank. But Bellport tolerated him.

Mr. J. Warner Trevelyan, on the other hand, was a newcomer, known to but few. Mr. Andruss and Mr. Trevelyan, diametric opposites as they were, had never met. There was no reason why they should.

Trevelyan was a good all round sort of a man; some people might have called him a sport; he certainly was free and easy. He was also handsome.

Mr. Andrew Andruss, the native, had lived in Bellport just forty years, and Mr. Trevelyan, the outlander, just forty days, when Bellport held up for discussion a tremendous problem.

Mr. Andruss began the agitation, for he was a public-minded citizen, and a public-minded citizen is very apt to agitate the public upon all vices save his own. Mr. Andruss had been the cause of several uprisings in the interest of law and order. He did not smoke, therefore in years past he had begun crusades against liquor and cigarettes. He never had owned an automobile or a fast horse, therefore he was careful to denounce both. So from time to time he kept the public mind agog.

His latest outburst, it may be, was well justified—it was a crusade against mashing. The term "mashing" is one well recognized and it has its place in literature. But it had no place in Bellport, so declared Mr. Andruss and his followers—for they never had indulged in the pernicious habit. This habit, so declared Mr. Andruss, had been imported into Bellport; it was a device of the Philistines. Andruss made a public matter of it, and called a meeting of the right-minded citizens of the town, both male and female.

He presided. "Ladies and gentlemen," he began, "fellow citizens of the city of Bellport, a grievous evil has arisen in our midst, due, as I am assured, to the pernicious habits of outsiders—I refer to the disreputable custom of mashing. It is our purpose to adopt measures to wipe this evil from the face of the earth. It is an evil that the police are unable and unwilling to eradicate. The remedy lies with us and with all true gentlemen. It is our purpose, therefore, to form this night the Bellport Society for the Promotion of Propriety."

These remarks were received with enthusiasm. The society was duly formed with Mr. Andruss as its president. Its members were of all classes, many of them clergymen and law-and-order leaguers. It was a salutary movement. The members agreed to take the law into their own hands, and personally to turn offenders over to the law, or to administer personal chastisement. The women present agreed to do their part—though from the appearance of the majority of the fair sex present, it is doubtful whether any of them had received more than their quota of masculine attention.

But there was a difficulty in the way. "We must consider one thing," continued Mr. Andruss, "and that is, that there are some benighted young women who prefer the attentions of these mashers. As our offices necessarily must be confined to those who resent such attentions, there must be some means by which the lambs may be distinguished from the sheep. We, therefore, ladies and gentlemen, have caused to be manufactured these beautiful buttons, which shall be distributed broadcast among the men and women of the city. While it is generally easy to determine whether the attentions of a masher are resented, or otherwise, yet in a doubtful case, this button will decide. This button may, nay, will, be worn by any young woman who prefers to have it known that she desires the protection of the Society. The button may be worn also by males, thus informing females that protection is at hand. This, we believe, will prevent mashers from pursuing their nefarious practices."

The button was a somewhat conspicuous white, celluloid affair, and upon it were inscribed these words:

"I BELONG TO BELLPORT SOCIETY OF PROMOTION OF PROPRIETY. DOWN WITH THE MASHERS."

In a day or two all Bellport was interested in the scheme. Case after case was reported in the newspapers of some husky young clergyman or other upright citizen who, by the might of right and strength, had smashed some masher. These men were heroes.

The only difficulty seemed to be that frequently a young woman found several men looking at her intently—men who, prima facie, were nothing less than masher; but later she observed that each of these men wore the anti-mashing button, and then she knew at once, that in looking at her so intently they were not mashers, but members trying to determine whether she were one who rightly came under their protection.

Andruss was muscular. In times past he had led crusades against saloons with an axe in hand. Crank as he was, he certainly was all there when it came to doing things. But unfortunately, no opportunity had yet arisen by which he might distinguish himself as a Promoter of Propriety, although he kept his eyes wide open.

But his opportunity came at last. One evening at the hour of midnight he boarded a trolley car on his way home. The car was well filled but not crowded. All the seats, however, were taken. He was the only passenger who stood, and he had a good opportunity, therefore, to keep his eye upon the other occupants who sat. Suddenly he started.

"By George," he exclaimed profanely, "look at that!" All this he said merely to himself.

Well might he exclaim. For upon one side of the car there sat a man whom Mr. Andruss would have called a fiend in human shape. This fiend was a handsome young man, dressed in the height of fashion. He looked something like a sport. And this man was doing nothing more nor less than smiling into the face of a pretty woman, young and very attractive, who sat across the way. Every time she met his glance she slightly flushed, but the young man kept on smiling.

This young man was Mr. J. Warner Trevelyan, but to Mr. Andruss he was unknown.

Andruss, in order to make no mistake, watched his operations for a few moments; the fellow was persistent. He waited until the young woman looked once more in his direction, and then he boldly winked at her. The young woman, aware that Mr. Andruss and others in the car were watching her, flushed up again. Mr. Andruss moved a step nearer to the scene of operations. Then he breathed a sigh of relief. For in a conspicuous place upon the woman's dress was the beautiful button of Promoters of Propriety. This meant that the young woman resented the familiarity of the man across the way and that she was in need of help. And Mr. Andruss was ready to give it. He stepped up to the young man and regarded him sternly. The young man did not seem to see him. Instead, he kept his eyes fastened upon the girl across the way.

"Sir," exclaimed Mr. Andruss sternly, "you're a scoundrel!"

Mr. J. Warner Trevelyan sniffed the air. Then he turned aside his head. "Such a lot of drunks on the cars nowadays," he murmured to the man next to him. The man next to him, who did not care to be mixed up in anything, failed to make reply.

Mr. Trevelyan threw back his overcoat somewhat carelessly. As he did so Mr. Andruss gasped with astonishment. For there, displayed upon the lapel of the young masher was another button of the anti-mashers. Mr. Andruss' impatience then knew no bounds. For the young gentleman, boldly displaying this button to advantage and utterly ignoring Mr. Andruss, again winked upon the young lady and slightly motioned with his head.

"You—you—you hypocrite," yelled Mr. Andruss, advancing in a rage upon the young man and tearing from his coat the button; "you ungodly scoundrel—fiend in human shape!" Then and there he set upon and beat the young man about the head, and immediately there was a furore in the car of the most exciting kind.

The young man, whose hat had been knocked off but who otherwise had been uninjured, immediately jumped to regain his headgear, and in that unguarded moment Andruss was again upon him. The young man was peaceably inclined, but Andruss was not.

"You—you loafer!" he shouted to the other.

"If you weren't drunk," replied the young man calmly, "I'd knock you down." Andruss was not drunk, and the passengers who knew him knew that he was not. Andruss therefore called upon the citizens for aid. The citizens, many of them members of the society, started in to render it. But the young man was able to a large extent to take care of himself. He parried blows and tripped up men wth wonderful impartiality. He seemed to enjoy the thing. But they were too much for him. Finally he had to yield. They pushed him up into the corner of the car, and a half dozen men seized him.

As they hustled him out of the car he shouted out to somebody in a loud voice. But the crowd never heeded his cries. They hauled him out and down the steps, and the car went on.

As it went on, the young lady, who had been in a great state of excitement, now burst into tears and uttered incoherent things.

As for Trevelyan, he was locked up overnight, and every anti-masher and promoter of propriety promised to be on hand to prosecute him in the morning.

"You fellows will be sorry over this," he said, as he was led downstairs.

The next morning Andruss and his followers were all on hand. As this was a very flagrant case, Andruss on his way down had called upon the Rev. Jonathan Boggs, a new clergyman in the city, who was interested in the movement. Mr. Boggs' sermons were always up to date, and Mr. Andruss knew he would be glad of the opportunity to be present.

They all assembled at the courtroom. Back in a remote corner, unnoticed by all save Andruss, sat a young lady. This was the young lady of the car the night before. Andruss, seeing that he was flustered and unstrung, did not approach her, but knew that in due time he could use her as a willing witness.

The clergyman, the center of another group, stood up near the front. The prisoner was brought in. The clergyman, who was a bit nearsighted, peered at him over his glasses. The young man did not see the minister.

"What's the charge here?" asked the police court judge.

Mr. Andruss stepped forward. At that instant the young lady, who for the first time had seen the prisoner, rushed forward with a little scream.

"Warner!" she exclaimed, throwing her arms about his neck.

At the same instant the clergyman started forward. "Why—why," he demanded, "what's the meaning of this, Mary, my child? And Trevelyan? Why, what do you do here?"

He did not exactly understand what was going on. But nevertheless, he turned around to Andruss. "Mr. Andruss," he exclaimed, "permit me to present to you my daughter Mary, now Mrs. J. Warner Trevelyan, and my son-in-law, Mr. J. Warner Trevelyan. Mr. Andruss—Mr. Trevelyan. Mr. —— Why, bless me, what's the matter?"

There was matter enough, it seemed. Mr. Trevelyan, a very angry man, waited patiently until Mr. Andruss had abjectly withdraw his complaint against Trevelyan for attempting to flirt with his own wife. Then Trevelyan, with considerable vigor, advanced a complaint against the whole crowd for assault and battery. The Court smiled and accepted the complaint. He fixed bail at $1,000 apiece. As there were none present whom the court would accept as bail—he was down on the propriety promoters—he ordered the half dozen prisoners downstairs, with Andruss in the van.

Trevelyan watched them until they reached the topmost step, and then he raised his voice.

"Complaint withdrawn!" he yelled. Then they all came back and shook him warmly by the hand.

"The costs," announced the court, looking sternly at Mr. Andrew Andruss, "will be thirty-three dollars."

Mr. Andrew Andruss wilted, for he was a bit of a miser. The clergyman stepped forward. "I will pay the costs," he announced with a smile; and he did. Mr. Andruss and his followers are now members of his church, and left their own to join it.

That evening the Bellport Banner came out with flaring headlines:

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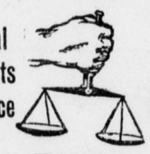

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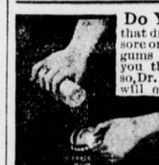

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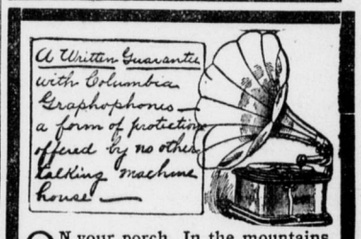

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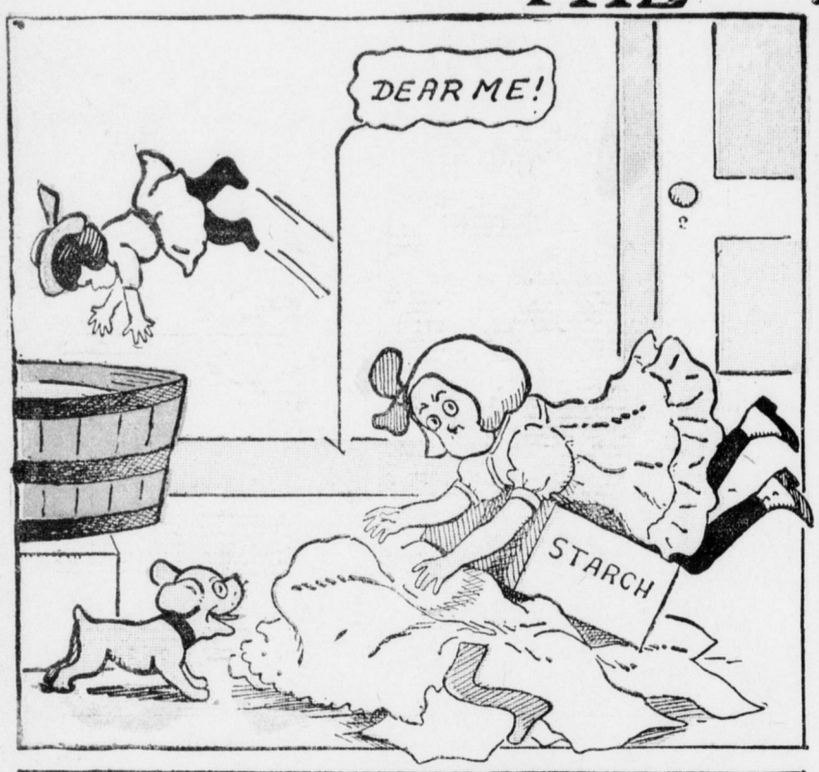

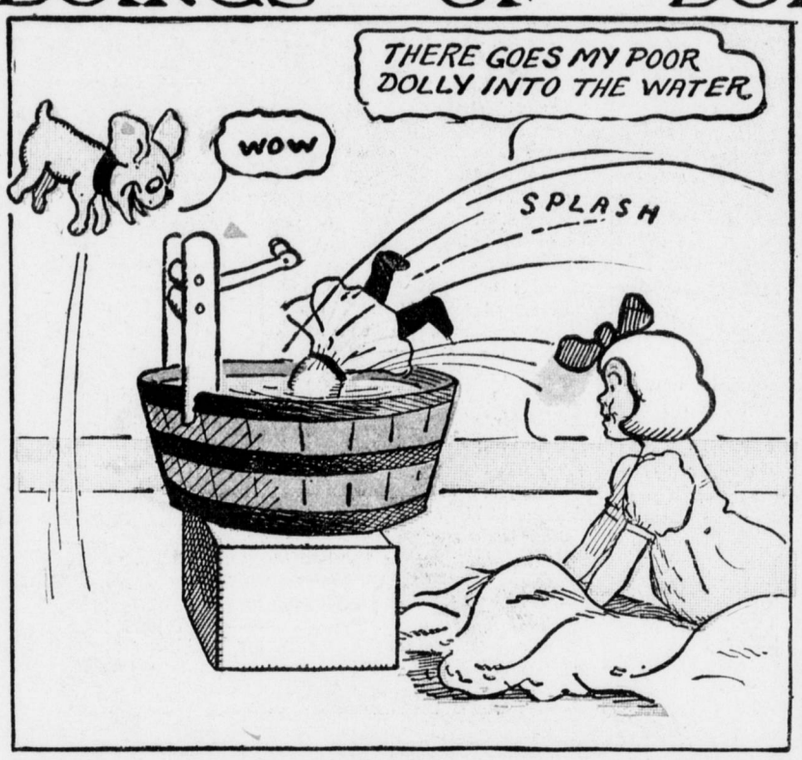

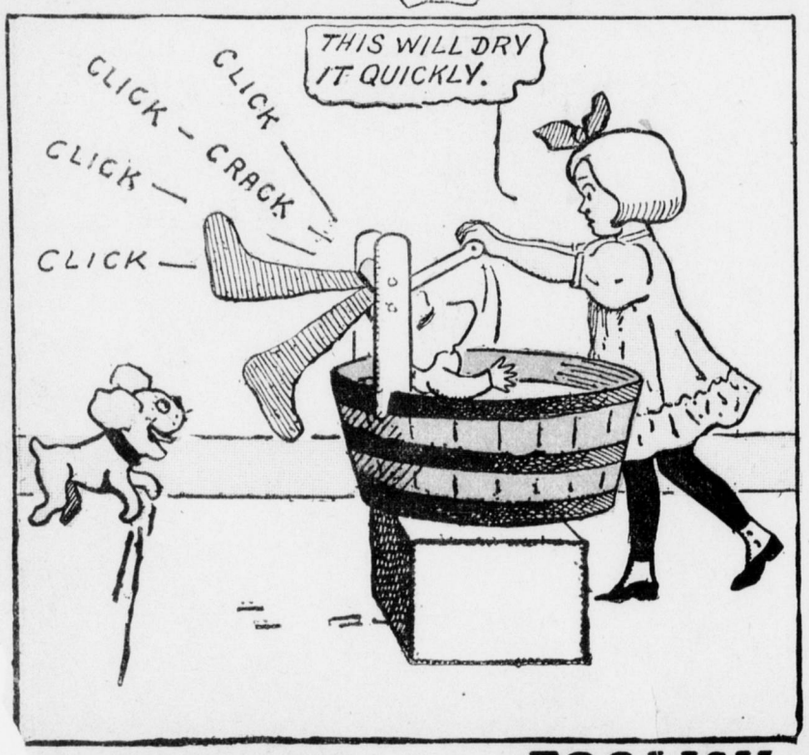
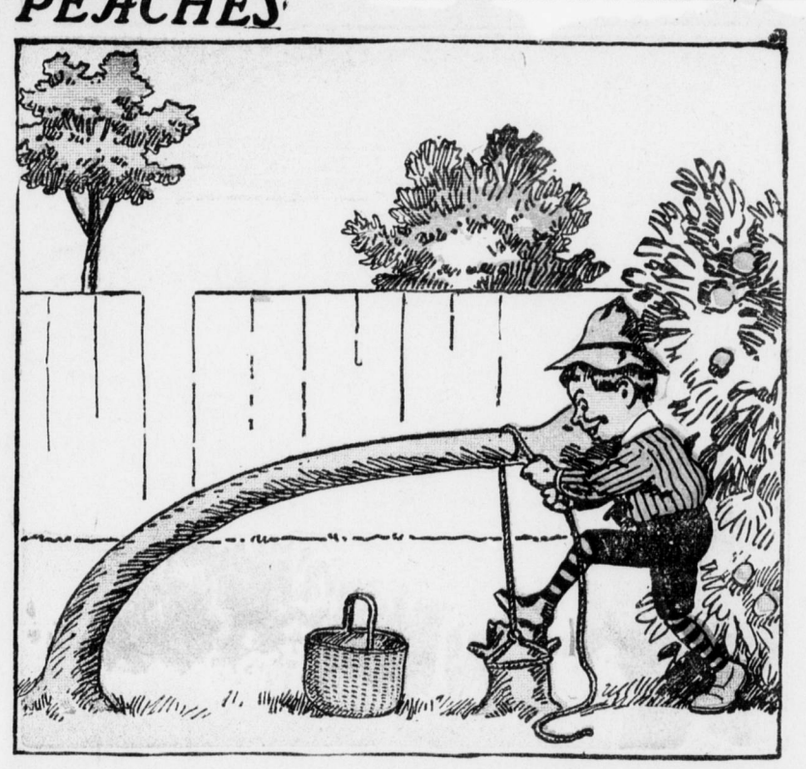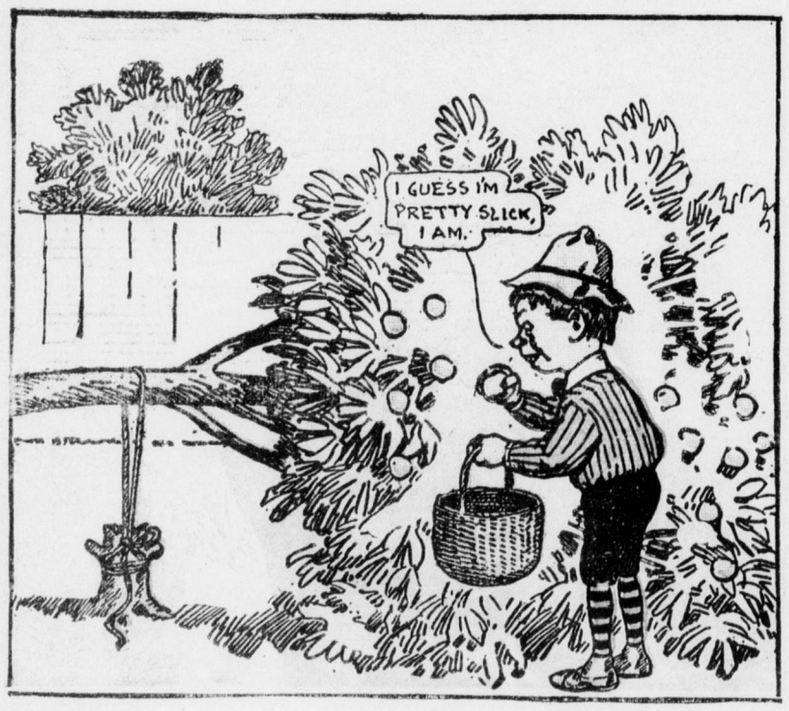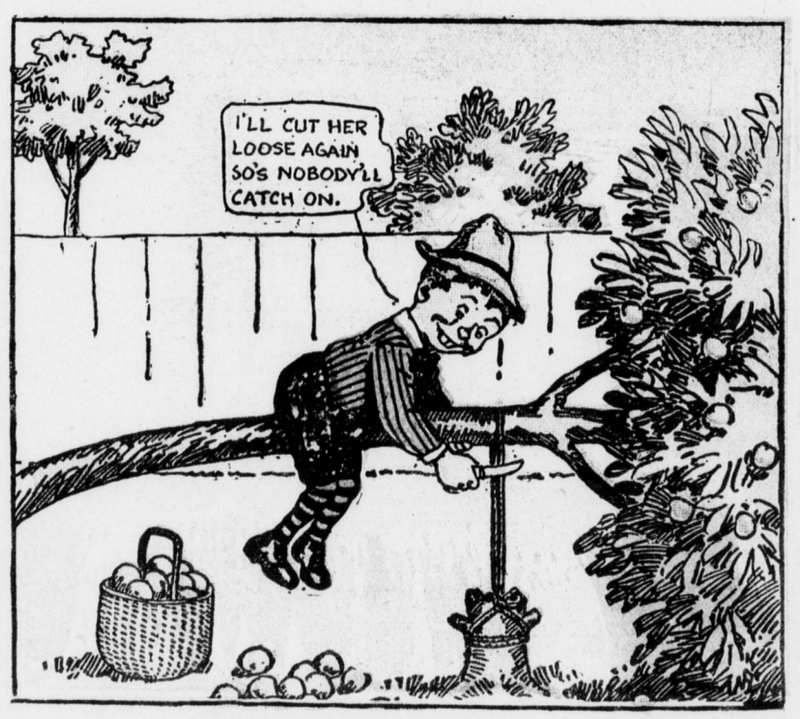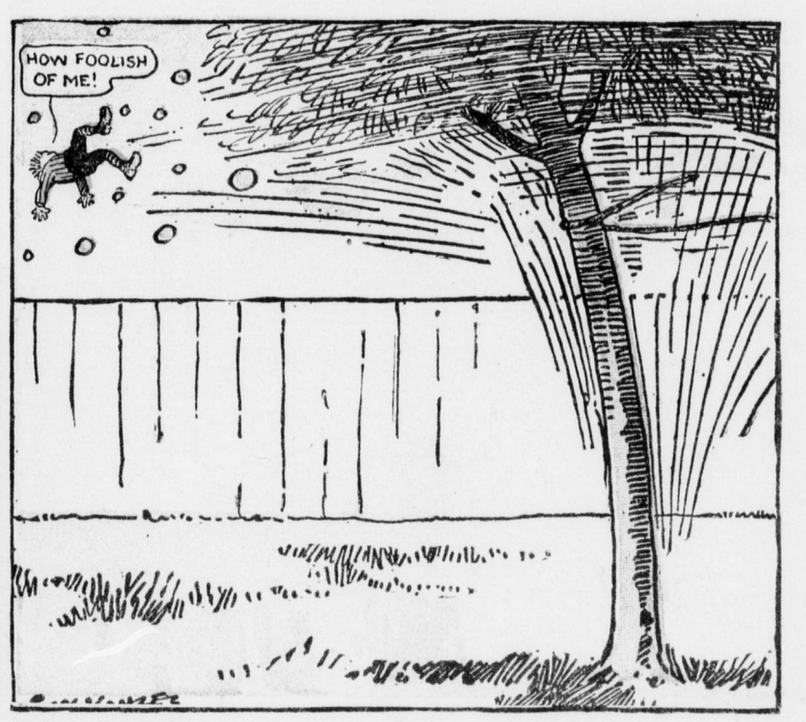
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